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Amendment could re-open Albany bingo battle

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Less than a week after voters answered with a resounding "no" to a prospect of an Indian casino in Maine, a move was quietly underfoot in the Maine Legislature to clear the way for a high-stakes Indian bingo hall in Albany Township.

The move came in the form of an amendment to L.D. 1039, "An Act Concerning Passamaquoddy Indian Territory in Washington County."

L.D. 1039, currently before the joint Judiciary Commit-

tee, is a seemingly routine bill that would allow certain tribe-owned parcels of land in Washington County to be designated formally as "Indian Territory."

An amendment offered Monday, however, would expand the scope of the bill to include parcels of land well beyond Washington County.

Among those lands are 18 acres in Albany Township that were the focus of a long running battle between the tribe (backed by a New York City developer)

and area residents opposed to its plans for developing a 2,000-seat high-stakes bingo hall here.

L.D. 1039 is expected to go before the joint Judiciary Committee on Dec. 2.

The project was approved by the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission, but opponents took their fight to the courts, where the Maine Supreme Court ultimately ruled in their favor — effec-

tively killing the project.

But the bingo-hall plan was not defeated on its overall merits; rather, the court

ruled only that the land in question had not been deeded in trust to the federal government before 1991, thus did not qualify as "Indian Territory," and so could not be used for gambling.

The tribe immediately went to the state Legislature to have the 1991 deadline extended. They succeeded initially in the House, but area residents (many from outside Albany) roused themselves and campaigned hard against the measure in the Senate.

They ultimately prevailed, and the deadline stayed put.

But now the tribe is back, trying again to extend the deadline, said Jeff Rosenblatt, an Albany attorney who was one of the leaders of opposition here to the bingo hall.

If the bill is amended and passes, Rosenblatt said, keeping high-stakes gambling out of the area will "be another long, hard fight."

"This is another fraud sought to be perpetrated on the Legislature, the state, and the people, most particularly the people of Albany Township and environs," he said.

The bill is expected to be taken up by the Judiciary Committee at a meeting on Dec. 2.

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Performing 'Alchemy'



Last weekend the Gould Academy Performing Arts presented Alchemy, a collection of short plays. An ensemble based production, the play explored the process of translating stories from page to stage. Gould drama students worked throughout the fall under the tutelage of drama teacher Kyra Fries, transforming the written work of Hans Christian Andersen, Sylvia Plath, Jhumpa Lahiri, Antoine de Saint-Exupéry and many more. Pictured here are (from left): George Neptune, Betsy Jorgensen, Ani Hall, Amy Gaidis and Irene Kim.

(Photo by Elena Vojtelova)

Gilead revels in bicentennial planning

By ALISON ALOISIO

Seven subcommittees.

A 100-page history book in the works.

A library resurrection.

Monthly fundraisers, with musical entertainment.

Sound like a city project of some sort?

It's not. It's just the town of Gilead, population 200, planning its bicentennial celebration for next year.

The event is scheduled for June 26. But for the past several months, there's been so much activity in preparation, said co-chairman Lin Chapman, "we should consider it part of the celebration."

The core planning committee is broken down into subgroups that are handling parade planning, publicity/events/fundraising, vendors, historical displays, security and budgeting.

The June 26 celebration will include fireworks, an antique car display, music, games, races, a parade, historical displays, and food.

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MDOT to reveal recreational bridge options

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Area snowmobilers, walkers, and cyclists will get their first look later this month at the options on the table for a new recreational bridge across the Androscoggin River.

On Nov. 25 the Maine Department of Transportation will hold an informational meeting on the long-awaited bridge.

MDOT will review the various design options it is considering for the bridge and seek public input, according to Project Manager Andy McDonald.

Snowmobilers, who now must cross the river on the narrow and often busy Route

2 bridge, have long sought a safer alternative.

Their hopes have been raised in the past, especially during the heady days of the Bethel Station project.

But the cost of building a new bridge has until now been beyond reach.

Now the state has the money in hand, according to McDonald.

The bridge is projected to cost \$1.1 million, McDonald said, with \$800,000 coming from a transportation bond approved by Maine voters in 2001 and \$300,000 from recently released federal enhancement funds. (The \$1.1 million figure includes all phases of the project, not simply construction, McDonald said.)

Because of the sources of the funding, the bridge will be designated as a "pedestrian-bicycle facility," but it will be built big enough and strong enough to accommodate snowmobiles as well.

MDOT is keeping most details about the various design options under wraps until the informational meeting, but McDonald did say the bridge is most likely to be built just to the east (downstream side) of the current bridge.

Delayed another year?

In what will no doubt come as a disappointment to snowmobilers, McDonald said it is not certain that the bridge,

which was originally slated to be ready in time for this upcoming winter, will even be ready in time for the next.

That will depend in part on the type of design, he said.

The three most likely support options are single span, and one- or two-pier, he said.

Each design has its own advantages and disadvantages. For example, the single-span design is the quickest to build, but it is also the most expensive (\$1.1 million for construction alone).

Piers are less expensive, McDonald said, but they require up to three months of fabrication time and involves

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IT'S THE SEASON—Sunday River Ski Resort opened for business Monday with a single lift operating. Conditions have been ideal for snowmaking, prompting the area to open for the season, according to spokeswoman Susan DuPlessis. This year's opening is about two weeks earlier than last year. By Friday, there should be three lifts operating and seven or eight trails open, she said. Steep cuts in the price of some season passes has helped the skiway exceed its season pass sales goal, DuPlessis said. "Our intention with dropping the price on our season passes was to sell considerably more to offset what we would lose in season pass revenue, and we've been happy with the way the campaign turned out. We're now selling passes at \$349 (16 blackout dates) and \$699 (unrestricted), same format. We are also hoping to gain ancillary revenue by drawing more people to the slopes—in areas like retail, Perfect Turn, food and beverage and lodging.

Couple's tragedy leads to action to save young lives

By ALISON ALOISIO

In response to the efforts of a Bethel couple, the Maine Legislature will consider a bill requiring that colleges notify incoming students of the availability of a vaccine against meningitis.

Pushing for the bill are Jeri and Jerry Greenwell, who lost their 23-year-old son, Jerry, to the disease earlier this year.

Young Greenwell, who lived in the Portland area, thought he had the flu last April when he first developed symptoms. By the time he was taken to the hospital, it was too late to save him.

Now, his parents are working to make people aware of the disease and the fact that there is a vaccine for it.

Bacterial meningitis is spread by direct contact with secretions from the nose and throat. Symptoms include fever, headache, vomiting, feeling generally unwell, and possibly a stiff neck.

Young people living in close proximity are particularly at

Maine averages about 10 cases of bacterial meningitis a year. The disease's fatality rate is approximately 10 percent.

risk. And among them, first-year college students living in dorms are the most susceptible.

So the Greenwells decided last summer to work through local legislators to promote a bill requiring Maine colleges to notify students that a vac-

cine is available.

They talked with Rep. Arlan Jodrey, who brought information from the Greenwells to director Dora Mills of the Bureau of Health. They also wrote a letter to an advisor to Gov. John Baldacci. The governor himself got involved.

"He jumped right on it," said Jeri. Within two weeks, a meeting had been scheduled with Mills, Sen. Bruce Bryant, and the governor's representative.

A proposed bill (LR2220), "An Act to Improve Awareness of Meningococcal Meningitis Vaccination," was drawn up in October. It will be sponsored by Bryant.

It may go before one or more Legislative committees in January, including Health and Human Services and

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Letters

SCOUTS SALUTE VETERANS

To the Editor:

On Nov. 9, Bethel Boy Scout Troop 565 held their second annual Veterans Day dinner. A great number of people showed to partake in this. The boys prepared and served the guests and honored veterans. We would like to thank all those who attended and for making it the success it was.

We would also like to remind everyone that with the holidays fast approaching that we take a few moments to think about those veterans who are still answering their proud nation's call. They are being asked to make the ultimate sacrifice along with being away from home, family, and loved ones.

David Roberts
Committee chair, BSA

THINGS TO BE THANKFUL FOR

To the Editor:

I am thankful to the voters of Maine, who in their wisdom have saved us from so much. We now no longer have to worry:

- 1) About the insidious influence of gambling (except for horse racing, scratch tickets, slot machines, the lottery, or bingo).
- 2) About a flood of people coming in from out of state to take new jobs.
- 3) About our crime rate rising (more than it is every year, I mean).
- 4) About the additional impact on traffic.
- 5) About low-cost housing for our kids who don't have jobs. There's plenty of jobs and housing where they're going.
- 6) About how the Legislature will waste another windfall.
- 7) We don't have to worry about the Indians getting wealthy. Like the man said, we already paid 'em millions of dollars. So I don't reckon we have to allow 'em to become entrepreneurs, too.
- 8) We don't have to worry about anyone else coming up with a ridiculous idea to bring \$100 million a year into the state coffers.

I agree with the man the television reporter interviewed outside the polling booth in Sanford. We don't want gambling here. We want them to bring in manufacturing.

Now when are those Indians going to do that?

Chad McGrew
Bethel

A RIDE TO REMEMBER

To the Editor:

Several nights ago, when I finally got up to the Gore Road in Locke Mills, there was a small silver-colored car ahead of me. There was only one man inside driving very slow. By the time we got to the gift shop, where the speed changes to 50, a few cars had caught up to us. The car ahead of me was still doing 30, so I pulled out to pass. All of a sudden I realized the man was not going to let me by. He started racing me down the road. A car was coming at us. I couldn't drop back because of the other cars, so I finally stepped hard on my accelerator, jumped ahead of him and cut him off. I waited for a second to feel him hit me, but he didn't. He stayed right on my tail, flashing his lights in anger. I slowed down and took a deep breath. Instead of trying to go home, I drove into town hoping the police would be there, and they were.

I couldn't believe this man, this stranger, tried to kill me and hurt other people around me. But then I remembered how that poor young man from Auburn had been pushed off the road into a tree where he died instantly. Now I know how he felt. This was no accident. This man deliberately tried to hurt me. So beware Bethel. I was lucky, but the next person may not be.

Monique Bailey
Bethel

CHRISTMAS FOR FAMILIES

To the Editor:

First of all, we would like to thank the community for all its help in the past years with this project. The list is too long to put in this letter, but know we are grateful for all the help.

As hard as it is to believe, we are once again approaching the holiday season and Christmas for Families volunteers are looking for donations and help. Christmas for Families tries to help as many children of all ages as well as their parents in the SAD44 district. We know that this is a stressful time for all of us, but some more than others, and that is why we are here. If anyone would like to adopt-a-family or donate to this project, please call me at 836-3600 or 836-3663 or see me at Rebel Family Restaurant in West Bethel. People needing assistance or those who know someone that needs a little help, please feel free to call and I will send out applications. Please know that this is all in the strictest confidence, even those who get adopted. I will be leaving for vacation on Dec. 19, so please respond as early as possible.

We are also doing fundraisers such as selling calendars, a benefit bingo, raffle and food sale at Jackson-Silver Post 68 on Dec. 3.

Nina Wheeler
for Christmas for Families

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Bingo

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Rosenblatt urged anyone concerned about the possibility of high-stakes gambling here to make their feelings known to Judiciary Committee members and to their local legislators.

Contact information for both is available at the state Web site, and will be published in next week's Citizen.

What can you do for us now?

Angered by the overwhelming defeat of the casino referendum, representatives of both the Passamaquoddy and Penobscot tribes walked out

of last week's meeting of the the Maine Indian Tribal State Commission, according to the Bangor Daily News. (MITIC is intended to provide a forum for the state and tribes to work together on issues of mutual interest.)

Tribal leaders also refused to return calls from Gov. John Baldacci.

The BDN quoted Lee Umphrey, the governor's spokesman, as commenting (ominously, perhaps, for Albany): "They've chosen to retaliate against the top guy.

We hope things improve. They're actually in a great negotiating position to come into the governor's office and say, 'You opposed our casino, what can you do for us now?'"

(Additional background: The Citizen wrote extensively on the earlier bingo-hall proposal. Anyone wishing further background on the matter can e-mail us at: news@bethelcitizen.com and we will be happy to send copies of representative articles. There will be no charge.)

Gilead

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In March, town voters approved spending \$5,000 on the celebration. That will include the cost of fireworks, usually a big-ticket item. The organizers are also holding fundraisers to supplement the town appropriation.

A supper last month, held at the Bog Brook Training Center, drew 80 people, not all from Gilead.

This month, on the 22nd, there will be a public dessert and coffee gathering at the center, with music provided by local entertainers Jewel Clark and Don Katlin. The event follows a regular meeting of the planning committee.

And in December or January, there's a spaghetti supper planned, again with entertainment.

The fundraising events serve two purposes, said Chapman. "They raise money, and they raise interest. It's getting people thinking about it," she said.

Beverly Corriveau, Gilead's administrative assistant and also a member of the planning committee, said she's heard a lot of positive feedback.

"People are saying how

much they like the dinners, and telling us to let them know when there's another one," she said.

Raffles are also planned with the suppers. And there may even be T-shirts — not just for the celebration, but to proclaim the preparation events. "Maybe 'Phase I,'" said Chapman.

The planners have other projects to help in the observance. Howard Reiche is heading up an effort to compile a 100-page history of the town. It's the first time an organized history has been attempted, said Chapman.

"We have tons of pictures," she said, that will be included with the written text. Committee members are even contacting out-of-town descendants of earlier town residents to see if they have photos to lend.

It is hoped copies of the softcover book will be ready to sell both before and during the bicentennial. The town is getting some help on it from the Bethel Historical Society.

There are also plans to spruce up the Town Hall, for use in the celebration and for the future.

A small room near the front

of the hall formerly served as the town library. For years, old library books have been sitting in boxes, stacked in the room.

Chapman and others have hauled the boxes out and plan to go through them. Books worth keeping will be displayed again in a fixed-up library room.

And the main room of the hall is destined for a thorough cleaning and painting. The curtain on the stage at the back of the hall has already been fixed, and is now in working order.

The volunteers hope the improvements will encourage townspeople to use the hall more in the future, for other functions.

Although everyone seems to be having a good time in preparing for next year, planning does have its share of anxiety.

"I'm terrified at the thought I might have to give a speech," said Chapman. "I expect to be bald (from stress) by June."

(Note: The Nov. 22 gathering will be from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Admission is \$5.)



MUCH
TO DO
BEFORE
WE PARTY

Lin Chapman and Beverly Corriveau look over photos and publicity for Gilead's bicentennial celebration, which will take place in June. They were at the Town Hall on Election Day to hand out brochures about the town's plans. Behind them are boxes of books from the old library room, visible at the rear. The room, as well as the main part of the hall, will be spruce-up and organized for the celebration. (Aloisio photo)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Our Back Pages

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10 years ago: Five Rhode Island skiers were arrested by Maine State Police on misdemeanor charges of theft by deception. The quintet had claimed to be college students in order to get student discounts on season tickets at Sunday River Ski Resort. Investigation revealed that none of the parties involved were attending the college listed on the application.

Thieves made off with \$20,000 worth of ski clothing and other ski equipment at the Keenan Store at Mt. Abram.

Births: Hannah Ruth Feeney, Nicholas Fred Coffin, Hunter Louise Verrill, Corey Patrick Howard, Charles Dakota McCabe.

Deaths: Cynthia W. Snowe, Gordon W. Billings, Herbert W. Nickerson, Janet C. Wajda, Louise R. Annis, Ronald W. Bonney, Donald M. Barker, Lester C. Bean.

20 years ago: Beatrice and James L. Brown sold Brown's Variety Store and the building at the corner of Main and Spring streets in Bethel village to Martin Mendoza. Mr. Brown's parents, Leroy and Abbie, established the store at the location in the mid-1930s. The building was destroyed by fire in late 1992.

Bethel voters decided 742 to 358 that the town should not acquire the Bethel Water District.

Democrat Jeff Mills defeated Republican Barbara D. Brown 1,915 to 1,134 in the contest for a vacant District 63 seat in the Maine Legislature.

Births: Daniel John Boche, Maegan Marie Gaudreau, Ashley Irene Miller, Jared Moses Morton.

Deaths: Grace H. Foster, Robert E. Chapman, Mrs. Florida B. Baker, Edward F. Flynn Jr.

30 years ago: In special ceremonies, the Maine Fish and Game Department named its plane base at Lake Maranacook in honor of Richard E. Varney. A veteran warden pilot, Varney drowned in the fall of 1972 following a helicopter crash at the lake.

Telstar closed its undefeated 1973 football season with its 18th win in a row, a 33-0 victory over Mexico.

Birth: Jon Michael Thurston.

Deaths: Heather A. Hull, Eleanor K. Lovejoy, Colon Fuller, Annie Jordan, George W. Hayden.

40 years ago: The local chamber of commerce adopted the name Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce to project a wider range to its interests and a larger membership area.

Army Captain Donald Lord was a psychological warfare advisor attached to the 22nd Vietnam Infantry Division based at Kontum, 265 miles north of Saigon.

A steady rain caused flooding conditions in the local area. Alder River bridge on Route 26 was closed to traffic for several hours as water inundated the roadway.

Births: Brian Charles Blake, Robin Shafer Jr., Marie Gayle Yates.

Deaths: Isaac Easter, Wesley Wheeler, Paul J. Salway, Lester L. Mason.

50 years ago: Carroll Luxton, seaman USN, was attending U.S. Naval Radioman's School, Bainbridge, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Mason of the Mason Farm in Gilead observed their 50th wedding anniversary.

Gary Melville, U.S. Army, was stationed in Korea.

Birth: Sandra Lea Bennett.

Deaths: Frank A. Brown, Emma Hammond, Ethel Skillings, Lydia M. Smith, Robert B. Thurston, George W. Knight, Mrs. Martin E. Wing, Charles E. Eypper, Susie L. Littlehale.

60 years ago: Two Bethel men, John Howe and William Hastings, and Harry Brooks of North Weymouth, Mass., drowned in Umbagog Lake while on a hunting trip.

70 years ago: Publication of the Oxford Democrat, a newspaper published in South Paris, was suspended. The Democrat was established in 1833 at Paris Hill.

100 years ago: A woman named Atherton received a broken leg when hit by a train.

Justice Albert Bennett sentenced a drunken traveler to 30 days in jail for causing disturbance on the eastbound train.

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Briefly

State will hear timeshare issue

AUGUSTA — On Oct. 28 the State Board of Property Tax Review voted to deny motions from the Town of Bethel to dismiss appeals from two resorts regarding their timeshare property taxes. The board heard testimony from Bethel officials and representatives of the Bethel Inn and River View Resort. BI and RV spokesmen Allen Connors and Chad McGrew claimed their timeshares are taxed at between two to five times their value. Presenting information for Bethel were Christen Mason and Wade Rainey. They argued that the board did not have jurisdiction on the issue because, said Mason, the properties involved were not valued at more than \$1 million and were not commercial properties. A hearing is expected to take place before the board in March.

Board wants more SSDC info

BETHEL — Selectmen last week tabled a request from the Bethel Inn to recoup about \$5,500 from the Sewer System Development Charge for the Mill Hill condominiums. The original plumbing application had been approved at a May, 2001 board meeting. At that time, Bethel had charged a \$17,280 plumbing fee, based on water use by the inn. Inn officials said the fee should have been \$11,424. There was some discussion then regarding the possibility that the inn could ask for a refund, under existing regulations, after a period of time had gone by, if they could demonstrate lower usage. But Town Manager Scott Cole said there is no clear provision in the town ordinance for refunds under such circumstances. The issue will be on the agenda again for Monday's board meeting, at the request of the Inn.

No more in-town burning

BETHEL — Selectmen last week discussed complaints from the burning of a dilapidated building this past summer, but decided against formally reviewing town policy on burning of structures. They declined to take action after learning new state guidelines will prevent such burns in the future. Contractor Jack Cross, who is also a selectman, burned an old building on Mill Hill to get rid of it. He had obtained a permit from the Fire Department. Cross said burning was cheaper than tearing down the building. But the smoke from the fire persisted over the village for several days, prompting complaints. "It smoldered for quite a while and it smelled pretty vile," said selectman Dutch Dresser. Cross said his company probably could have done a better job smothering the fire.

Trio to manage Bethel Inn skiing

BETHEL — The Bethel Inn and Country Club has hired a team of three people to run its Cross Country Ski and Snowshoe operation. Mike Cooper, Kirk Siegel and Roger Smith will take over the responsibilities, according to Allen Connors, general manager. Cooper has worked previously as a ski center manager, trail groomer and trail design consultant. His most recent major project was the 42-mile Grafton Loop Trail. Siegel is a former coach for the Gould Academy cross-country ski team and the U.S. Biathlon junior team. Smith is a former trails manager at the Sunday River Inn Ski Touring Center. Top priorities at the Bethel Inn this season will be creating a kids terrain park near the inn and excavating and grading an intermediate 5-kilometer trail known as Corkscrew.

Softball team plans N.C. trip

BETHEL — The Telstar High School softball team, including 16 players and 10 parents, will travel to Avon, N.C. during April vacation to play softball. The team is currently raising funds to support the trip, which will cost approximately \$8,000. They hope to build on last spring's strong season, which saw them finish first in the Mountain Valley Conference for the first time in school history. Anyone wishing to support their effort may send contributions to Joan Kimball-Softball Account, 1420 Hunts Corner Rd., Albany Twp. 04217. For more information, call 824-3191.

Input sought on ATV proposal

AUGUSTA — Anyone interested in providing input on Gov. John Baldacci's ATV Task Force recommendations may do so by e-mail or regular mail, until Nov. 15. Addresses are: ATV.Taskforce@maine.gov or Governor's ATV Task Force, c/o Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, Station #41, August 04333. The task force recommendations address the goals of protecting landowners and their property from ATV damage, improving law enforcement response; developing a high-quality trail system and insuring rider awareness of laws and safety. Recommendations include requiring landowner permission to operate ATVs; mandatory liability insurance; higher fines for violations; making violations count against a driver's license/record; making violations result in impoundment of the ATV; authorizing a mud season closure for trails; creating a grant program to encourage more enforcement; encouraging membership in ATV clubs through a discount on registration; distributing state ATV revenues in the same categories as snowmobile revenues; establishing a damage mitigation fund to repair environmental damage. The details of the recommendations can be found at www.state.me.us/ifw/aboutus/atvtask-force.htm. The task force is expected to complete its recommendations for the governor by Jan. 1.

Crafts and Wares Fair scheduled

Bethel — On the day after Thanksgiving, 43 crafters and local product producers will gather in the Bethel Inn Conference Center for Bethel's Local Crafts & Wares Fair. The doors will open at 9 a.m. Free horse-drawn wagon rides through Bethel Village will be offered from 2 to 4 p.m., sponsored by Oxford Networks. Interested riders should gather in front of the Fire House on the Bethel Common. For more information call the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce at 824-2282 or view the Web site at www.bethelmaine.com.

Babysitting offered at Telstar

Bethel — The Telstar varsity softball team will offer their babysitting services Friday, Nov. 28, for parents who plan to go Christmas shopping. The service will be available from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., at Telstar High School. Lunch and snacks will be provided, and dinner is available for an additional fee. The team and parents will care for children from ages 2 through 12 by reservation only (call Joan Kimball at 824-3191 or Jodie Wilson at 824-3180). The cost is \$2 an hour per child. Family rates are available.

Moose hunt success rate low

PORTLAND — The success rate in this year's moose hunt was the lowest in the modern hunt's 23-year history. During the October season, 2,075 of 2,585 permitted hunters got a moose, a success rate of about 80 percent. The percentage matches last year's.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Sunday, Nov. 9

At 4:05 a.m. police found an open door at a West Bethel business. The officer found a male who worked there. He said some friends of his had just left and did not shut the door.

Wednesday, Nov. 5

At 5:09 a.m. police observed an SUV had hit the guard rail on the Route 2 overpass. The driver, traveling west, had hit some black ice and lost control. There were no injuries.

At 12:15 p.m. police served a juvenile with a summons for eluding an officer and with a juvenile petition for the same charge.

Tuesday, Nov. 4

At 3 p.m. police transported a juvenile to the Sheriff's Office and issued him a summons for assault and disorderly conduct.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists all cases of adults being arrested or issued a criminal summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of other police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

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In our back yard

About the Board of Environmental Protection

Why should we be interested in the Board of Environmental Protection? Well, the board makes important decisions on a wide range of environmental matters, both large and small, that affect our daily lives. Please read further for some basic information about the board.

The Maine Board of Environmental Protection has been in existence in one form or another since the 1940s. Over time, there has been a shift from technical members representing state agencies to non-technical members representing the general public. The scope of the board's mandate has expanded along with our environmental laws from wastewater issues to all aspects of environmental regulation.

The purpose of the Board of Environmental Protection is "to provide informed, independent and timely decisions on the interpretation, administration and enforcement of the laws relating to environmental protection and to provide for credible, fair and responsible public participation in department decisions."

The board accomplishes its statutory charge through: rulemaking, licensing decisions on selected permit applications, reviewing appeals of the commissioner's licensing and enforcement actions and recommending changes in the law to the Legislature. While the board is part of the Department of Environmental Protection, the board has decision-making authority independent of the commissioner. The board also provides a forum for public participation in department decisions through public hearings and regular board meetings.

The board is composed of 10 volunteer citizen members who are appointed by the governor and confirmed by the Legislature for staggered four-year terms. Members are chosen to represent the broadest possible range of interests and experiences. This diversity makes for a healthy exchange of ideas and a thorough consideration of the issues. For information about current board members, go to www.maine.gov/dep/bep.

The board is staffed by an executive analyst and an administrative assistant who provide technical, logistic and procedural support. It utilizes the resources of the entire staff of the Department of Environmental Protection for professional technical support.

Regular meetings are open to the public and are conducted in Augusta on the first and third Thursdays of each month, but the schedule may expand or contract depending on the workload. Public hearings on applications of significant public interest are scheduled separately and near the site of the proposed project. Meeting information can be found at www.maine.gov/dep/bep.

Some of the board's activities during 2003 involved: Coastal Sand Dune rulemaking; Adoption of Scenic Rules (to evaluate the visual impact of a proposed project); Regulation of Atlantic Salmon Aquaculture Adoption of Biological Criteria to classify rivers and streams Review of Post Closure Plans for hazardous waste facilities; Spill proof gas container regulation; Changes to Underground Storage Tank rules; Review of Widewaters' proposed development in Bangor (Wal-Mart).

Keeping Maine a clean and healthy place to live is a big responsibility. Members of the Board of Environmental Protection take their role in environmental protection seriously and work hard for the citizens of Maine.

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Meningitis

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Education, according to Dan Shagoury, an aide to Bryant.

Shagoury said he would expect the Legislature to vote on the bill in either January or February.

"It shouldn't be controversial," he said, particularly since there is no money attached to it. As law, it would not require the colleges give the vaccine to students. Many schools notify now.

Shagoury said most Maine colleges already inform their students about the disease in one way or another. The bill, he said, "would assure consistency" in the process.

The University of Maine's Cutler Health Center devotes

a page on its Web site to education about meningitis.

It describes the symptoms, and provides information on different strains of the bacteria, frequency of occurrence of the disease, and the availability of vaccine. The increased risk among freshmen dorm students is described as modest, relative to other people in their age group.

About 15 percent of the healthy population carry the germ, but less than 1 percent are susceptible to the bacteria, and can develop infection of the blood or the fluid around the brain, according to the site.

The health center provides the vaccine for those who want it. It covers most strains of the disease, but does not provide 100 percent protection, according to the Web site.

Dr. Kathleen Gensheimer, state epidemiologist, said Maine averages about 10 cases a year of bacterial meningitis. Generally speaking, about 10 percent of meningitis cases are fatal, she said.

Dr. Richard DeCarolis of the Bethel Family Health Center said BFHC will give the vaccine to people who request it. The shot is not cheap, however, because it is not required

by the state and therefore not subsidized. The cost is \$75, he said.

Immunity provided by the vaccine starts to decrease rapidly after two or three years, he said, so it should be considered protection only for the early college years.

DeCarolis said the Health Center gets several requests a year for the vaccine, usually in August, from students headed to college. Some colleges either require or request incoming students have the shot, he said.

Anyone interested in getting the vaccine should call BFHC, he said.

Bridge

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more regulatory review (because they are placed in the river).

Such factors will be among several discussed at the informational meeting McDonald said.

"We've done some analysis and costs on several different

alternatives, and we're going to present that, trying to find out what public comment on these alternatives is — what people are looking for and where they'd like to see us go with it."

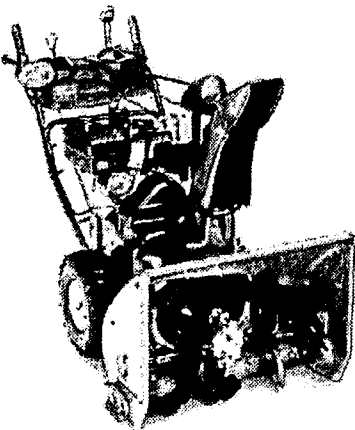
The informational hearing will be held Tuesday, Nov. 25, at 7 p.m. in the Crescent Park School cafeteria.



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Bethel



by
Virginia
Keniston

A birthday celebration was held for Susan Farrar on Sunday, Nov. 9, at the home of Lisa and Larry Fox in Mason Township. The following people attended the party: Michelle Keyes and Francis Fox, Scarborough; Doug, Jan, Joel and Tom Farrar, Burke, Vt.; Paul, Andrea and Ava Farrar, Portland; Chris Keyes, Portland; Emily and Steve Zowolsky; Montpelier, Vt.; Amos and Khara and Melle Fox, Old Orchard; Naomi and Jason Manjourides, Harrison; Anna Wolfock-Farrar, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Charles Farrar, Bethel; Susan Farrar, Bethel; and the host and hostess.

Do you know that? — During the 2002-2003 school year Crescent Park School volunteers contributed 4,052 hours of their valuable time for the benefit of the students at CPS.

Don't miss the art exhibit, "Language of Hands," featuring photos by Sally Taylor at the Owen Art Gallery at Gould Academy. The display will be on for three weeks from 7 to 9 p.m. It is wonderful.

Carol Nielsen has left for Cocoa Beach, Fla., for the winter months.

Lew and Ray Prada have purchased the Wieden home on Evergreen Road.

Linda Paine Jackson of Fredericton, New Brunswick, Canada, visited this weekend with her parents, Bud and Mary Paine. On Saturday, she had lunch with former Gould graduates of 40 years ago. Attending were Cheryl Grenier Bennett, Linda Curtis Westleigh of West Bethel and Jane Luxton of Portland. The group talked with Norma Jean Sloan of Florida, formerly of Bethel. Many tales of over 40 years were discussed.

The Red Hat Ladies will meet at the Sudbury Inn on Nov. 22 at 8:30 a.m. Let Jan know by the 20th for reservations.

The Mollycodd Chapter of Trout Unlimited will meet for dinner at 5:30 p.m. at the

Gould Academy McLaughlin Science Center. Speaker of the evening will be John L. Wight, Gould faculty member and Maine Guide, who will tell of his guiding experiences.

Becky Kendall and Polly Davis were in East Machias last Wednesday and Thursday to attend Kailee Wagner's induction, as a sophomore, in the National Honor Society at Washington Academy on Wednesday evening.

The Bethel United Methodist Church Sunday School is up and running. The class consists of a shared reading, craft and a group game. The time is 9:30 to 10:20 a.m. There is also an adult Bible Study taking place at the same time as Sunday School. With the Christmas Holidays upon us, have your children learn the real reason for the season and send them to the Methodist Church Sunday School. All area children are welcomed. Also, nursery care service is available for parents who wish to attend the 10:30 a.m. Worship Service. For more information, call Linda Howe at 824-2328 or Jane Young at 824-3009.

Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge played Friday, 9 a.m. at the Fare Share Food Coop Commons, 443 Main Street, Norway. The results for the morning were: first, Dick Allen and Eleanor Griffin; second, Mil Owens and Bev Pelletier; third, Sue and Bob Crane; fourth, Woodrow Mercier and Beverly Dolan. All bridge players welcome.

Andover



by
Joan
Stinson-Carney

My condolences to the family and friends of Sid Jones, who passed away recently. He will be greatly missed.

The Andover Service Circle should be very proud of themselves. Their Clean Up Day was a great success; they even cleaned up the road leading into the Transfer Station —

that's way above and beyond the call of duty. Thank you, ladies, the town appreciates it, and all the good work you do.

Don't forget the Flu Clinic tomorrow, Friday, Nov. 14. The Bethel Family Health Center will be giving shots at the Town Hall from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. The cost of a shot is \$10. Medicare recipients with their cards will get their shots free.

The Andover Fire Department will be holding its annual Craft Fair on Saturday, Dec. 13, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Santa arrives at 1 p.m. Cost for tables is \$10 each, and they are going fast. For further information, you can call Elaine Morton at 392-1140.

Inner peace, like world peace, is something we should all strive for. There are many, many different ways to go about it and I am passing this on to you because it has definitely worked for me. By following this simple advice I received from the Poy family recently, I have finally found inner peace. The way to achieve inner peace is to finish all the things you've started, so I looked around to see all the things that I had started and left unfinished. So, today I have finished one bottle of white wine, one bottle of red wine, a bottle of Bailey's Irish Cream, my Prozac, a large box of chocolates and a quart bottle of beer. You have no idea how good I feel. You may pass this on to those you feel are in need of inner peace, and I can get you the number for A.A. Have a wonderful day. See 'ya.

Upton



by
Eleanor
LeComte

A light dusting of snow accompanied by sharp, icy blasts of wind reminds us that those beautiful warm fall days are gone and Old Man Winter is here. The lake is still open but not ice free in the coves.

Hunters have arrived in numbers. The camps on East

"B" Hill, Back Street, Thistle Street and Mill Road are occupied. Orange flashes can be seen through the bare trees and shrubs as they stalk their prey. Some will be successful, others will not. Those lucky enough to bag their deer will have to travel to Andover, Newry or Bethel to register their deer. We have not had a registration station for several years. We need one. After eviscerating the deer, dragging it maybe miles out of the woods, loading it on a truck and driving 30 to 60 miles after dark, the hunter is very tired. He or she must then hang and skin the critter.

Joy Yarnell has applied yards of burlap over arborvitae as a deer repellent. Joy's garden is a prime source of fiber and Vitamin C for the local herd. Venison is not her favorite dish.

The raccoons "may" have gone into hibernation, but we are hesitant to put our new birdfeeders out. The little bandits destroyed three feeders this fall. One masked thief hung from the roof and devoured the peanut feeder of a one-half pound of Skippy. When I rapped on the window he focused his beady little masked eyes that said, "Beat it lady I'm not finished eating."

Christian Klenk, Al Gagnon's grandson, sent a wonderful letter to him from Baghdad. It was not complimentary to Iraq and some of its residents. A "Flack Jacket" must be worn at all times. The temperature range is about 130 degrees. The heat has been unbearable. Gallons of water and salt tablets must be freely consumed. Christian has a wife and three children. He is a good soldier and believes in the cause. We wish him the best.

Clyde Stratton is up and walking but still has a cast on his foot. While caring for Clyde's bad foot, Barbara ran into some stationary object and broke her toe. They were seen limping around WalMarts last week. It was not a pretty picture.

Diane Williamson and her daughter, Michelle Bouchard, have finished a quilt which will be raffled on Valentines Day. A second-grade class at

an Auburn school will be the beneficiary of the raffle. Their teacher, Melissa Thayer, will purchase science books for the class. I have tickets available for one week. The price is 6 for \$5.

Snow Buntings are in abundance at Etta Sweatt's farm in Millsfield, Grafton Flats and in the high country on the Upton Road outside of Errol. Flocks of robins are still being seen from Colebrook to Newry. The junco migration has diminished quite a bit. Chickadees and nuthatches frequent the little suction feeder on the window. They are very pleasant to watch. The hairy woodpecker is always a welcome guest, too. They are all lovely, but the "Bird of the Week" is the "Late" Partridge that flew into Williamson's garage window committing "Hari Kari." Ginny thought it was Buster's hat on the ground. On inspection she found that the bird was still warm, but in "Birdie Heaven." I heard it was delicious.

Tuesday was Veterans Day. We owe a lot of respect and thanks to our veterans of all the wars. They preserved our freedom and a darn good way of life.

Many years ago, my father, a WWI British Army Veteran, taught his children respect for the "eleventh hour, and eleventh day of the eleventh month" as Armistice Day, now known as Veterans Day.

West Paris



by
Joyce Lamb

The Maine weather is very changeable this fall. One does not know what to wear when one leaves home in the morning. First, we are in short sleeves and then may wish we had our winter jacket before we return home. Hats and gloves are now important when the ladies do their early morning walks. Up to eight of us are still walking two miles three times a week. At the present time, fluorescent hats and vests are necessary, for

our white heads might be mistaken for a deer. We go around Pioneer Street and have seen deer tracks and even deer. And of course the hunters are everywhere.

On Nov. 16, at the West Paris Universalist Church the Rev. Joy Gasta will speak on "How Our Religious Lives Call Us to Welcome Others." The service starts at 9 a.m. and is followed by a coffee hour. Jim Burke is organist.

The fall sale was a great success. Now the Universalist Church is preparing for the annual Chicken Pie Supper, to be held, as it has been for the past 96 years, on the Thursday before Thanksgiving with chicken pies, mashed potatoes, squash, peas, gravy, cranberry sauce, and hot rolls. And of course there will be homemade dessert pies of any kind one could want. So, on Nov. 20 at 5:30 p.m. we hope to fill the dining hall. The Girl Scouts will assist by waiting on tables.

Granddaughter Amber Lamb visited with me for supper on Sunday evening on her way home to Sterling, Mass. She has been working in New Hampshire this fall.

Beryl Bonney and I were in Auburn for groceries this week. We go about every three weeks, but it does seem like it is more often. Some of the sales are too good to pass up. Buffy needed more tuna, and it was half what it usually is. Beryl continues to lift and reach for me. She is such a help. We ate a quick lunch at Arby's. As Penney's was having a coat sale, I checked to see if they had any capes and they did. It has been a year that I have hunted for a cape, for it is difficult for me to put a coat on. It is a bit dressy, bright red with black fake fur, but is comfortable and easy to put on.

A turkey supper was held in South Paris on Saturday followed by a Chinese Auction. Beryl Bonney and I attended. It was quite an evening's entertainment. Everyone stays to the end so as not to miss getting anything they had a ticket on. I won a desk set. Last time Beryl was a winner.

My daughter, Peggy Lamb, and Mike Seaton visited Sunday to celebrate their birthdays, on Sunday, with a special dinner. Peggy furnished

The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published by special arrangement with the Advertising Department of this newspaper.

I have come to the conclusion that couples were never meant to sleep together. I don't mean they shouldn't engage in a romantic relationship because they should, but I'm not going to get into that because this is a family publication, not a marriage manual.

What I'm talking about is that I don't think the human being was meant to sleep with another human being.

According to medical professionals, sleep is the most important thing that people can do for their good health. They don't know why sleep is so important, but they are sure that it is.

I don't think you have to be a sleep scientist to know that we need sleep because we work hard, some people play hard and we all get tired. We need sleep because we are tired and need an opportunity to rest our bodies and recharge our batteries so we can get up the next day and work or play hard all over again.

So with that in mind does it make sense that we should spend the most important part of the night in a tug-of-war with someone else?

You all know about the tug-of-war. The man rolls over and takes all the blankets with him. Then the woman wakes up because she's freezing and reaches to retrieve the blankets only to discover that honey bun has them firmly and securely wrapped around him. This forces the little woman to employ the two-handed wrist snap unrolling hubby and pulling the blankets to her side of the bed.

Thus begins the nightly tug-of-war for the blankets, which will escalate throughout the night. Sometimes in the course of the night at the height of the blanket battle, the wife, out of desperation and goose bumps on her flesh will resort to her secret weapon. She will once again do the two-handed wrist snap unrolling hubby and at the same time she will pin the blankets between her legs and then throwing her body, face down, on top of them.

She has finally won this segment of the battle and is snug as a bug, but her defensive move has triggered the next phase of the war - boundary battle.

The man wakes up finding himself uncovered and chilled to the bone. He tugs on the blankets and they don't budge. Gently and sweetly he says, "Honey, you've got all the blankets." No response. A little loud-

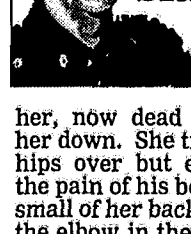
er and less sweetly he says, "Sweetie, give me some blankets." A slight groan comes from Sweetie as she rolls over a little taking a few more inches in blanket in her wake.

The kid gloves now come off. It's 2 a.m. and he's wide-awake and freezing. "Give me the blanket, blanket, blanket you battelease," he says as he shakes her shoulder. She lets out another groan as she tucks a few more inches of blankets under her toasty warm body.

The poor man has no choice now but to move in towards her like a heat seeking missile. He slides his hands under the covers and warms them around her and plants both bony knees into the small of her back and finally drifts off to sleep.

She wakes up now - sweating - and can't move because of his arms wrapped firmly around

Thus begins the nightly tug-of-war for the blankets...



her, now dead weight holding her down. She tries to move her hips over but encounters only the pain of his bony knees in the small of her back. She resorts to the elbow in the ribs trick to no avail. He merely groans, but does not move.

Clinging to the edge of the bed, hot from too many blankets and his body heat and suffering tremendous discomfort in the small of her back, she has no alternative but to stick her feet outside of the covers until they are nice and cold and then placing them strategically on whatever part of his body she can reach. And he moves - onto his back.

I think men should have to place electrodes on their bodies at night so when they end up on their backs a mild shock goes through their bodies causing them to roll to their sides. Why? Because within seconds of landing on their backs, men start snoring.

The little woman now has to attempt all the tricks of the trade to get Honey Bun to roll to his side. The elbow to the ribs, the cold feet between his thighs,

pinching his nose, covering her ears with a pillow, covering his face with a pillow. Nothing seems to work at this point.

There is something else about men besides the snoring when they are on their backs. They are in the sleep of the dead. An earthquake won't wake them up. You can yell at them, you can beat them, you can try whatever you like, but they won't wake up. They're just going to lay there, mouth wide open, arms spread out, one of them hitting the wife in the face, and snoring away.

This is when the wife starts hearing the night noises over his snoring. The creeks in the floorboards sound like someone walking around the house. The sound of the furnace kicking on doesn't sound right; like maybe it will blow up. The sound of what might be footsteps outside of the bedroom window or what sounds like the front door opening have her sitting up and wide awake.

But the hubby snores on oblivious to the horrors that are now befalling the wife. She tells herself that these are just night noises, nothing is wrong and if it was she'd never wake him up anyway. She tells herself to relax, everything is okay and he will eventually roll to his side and stop snoring. And then she smells the smoke. In the middle of the night when I am feeling very vulnerable and the dead man next to me won't budge, I always smell smoke.

The poor woman has no choice now but to roll over taking all of the blankets with her and tucking them under her. And so on it goes.

During the night if either person should get up to go to the bathroom they will return to find the other person crossway in the bed hogging all of the blankets and hugging all of the pillows. The person on the outside of the bed, tired and shivering now has to wrestle the blankets and pillows away from the sleeper while at the same time attempting to push them over to their own side of the bed.

As I said, I don't think people were really meant to sleep together. The night is too short and love is too precious to spend it in battle. Twin beds pushed side by side just might be the answer to a peaceful night's sleep and a stable relationship. I'm not saying everyone should run right out a buy twin beds, but the way I see it, it's an idea that wouldn't do any harm to sleep on for a while.

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an ice cream birthday cake and I made an apple pie for dessert.

Buffy is more active this fall and looks much better. His back is still orange but the rest of him is near normal color. His nest is full of leaves and he spends time in it waiting for me to let him into the house.

West Paris



by Bertha DeHaas

West Paris Grange held their flu shot clinic last

Thursday for 110 to receive their flu shots. A right good number, I'd say. Hope you all come back next year.

On Saturday, Nov. 1, we held our fall craft, Christmas and food sale at West Paris Grange Hall. We had a good crowd of folks and a really beautiful "Indian Summer" day for the event.

On Sunday, Nov. 2, the Richard Felt Band played at the Norway Rehab on Marion Avenue in Norway to a very appreciative group of ladies and gentlemen. While there, we learned of the Tuesday, Nov. 4, 65th wedding anniversary of Eleanor and Nilo Suomela of Buckfield. Congratulations and happy 65th anniversary to a wonderful couple.

On Wednesday, we held an afternoon rehearsal for the mock Hee Haw Show held Friday, Nov. 7, at Franklin Grange Hall on Main Street in Bryant Pond. At night we held the rehearsal for the Christmas Cantata at West Paris Baptist Church.

On Tuesday, the West Paris Senior Citizens met at the Route 219 home of Beryl and Fred Oja, for their Thanksgiving dinner, followed by the monthly meeting and a most excellent Thanksgiving program put on by Anna Swan, program director. Anna made us each a fall leaf decoration as a Thanksgiving gift. She puts a lot of time and effort into this each month, and we all appreciate it. Fred Breame, one of our members, wrote a poem, entitled "Thanksgiving Day," for the program.

Tuesday evening, Oxford Pomona Grange 2 met for supper at 6:30 p.m. at Alder River Grange Hall. This was followed by the meeting and an excellent agriculture program put on by Richard G. Felt, master of Franklin Grange 124 of Bryant Pond and past mas-

ter of Oxford Pomona Grange 2.

Thursday, Nov. 6, was warmer and there was even a peek of sunshine. Hope you all have your "winterizing" done, as they just said on the radio that we shall have temperatures in the teens and 20s.

On Sunday, Nov. 16, at 2 p.m. at the VFW hall in Harrison there will be another musical benefit program for the Joneses. Hope you can make this, especially if you missed the one at the American Legion Hall on the Gore Road in Locke Mills. The Richard G. Felt Band and other musicians will again perform.

See you next week.

Albany



by Dana & Sheila Dyke

Greetings and Hello from Albany Township.

Lance Tyler recently celebrated his birthday with friends and family. We wish him a Happy Birthday.

On Monday night, Pam and Carlton Rugg and Dana and Sheila Dyke attended their CMA meeting to vote for officers of their chapter. During the prayer request circle, we learned that the daughter of our co-chaplin and his wife, Bill and Karen Storman, is pregnant with her first child. While that news is indeed blessed, Myleca and her husband, Scott, learned that their unborn daughter, who we are calling Faith at this time, has a rare condition called CHAOS, which stands for Congenital High Airway Obstruction Syndrome. Basically, this means that there is a complete, or near-complete, blockage of the airway, and this keeps the fluid that would normally be expelled and become a part of the amniotic fluid surrounding the child in her body. The fluid remains in the lungs causing the lungs to become extremely large, and the heart to be compressed and the diaphragm flattens, as well as other difficulties. Without intervention, all babies with CHAOS die before they are born or within hours of birth. The doctors at this time are planning to perform fetal surgery to try and alleviate some of the blockage. They will then attempt to keep the child in her mother's uterus until the 32-36 week, at which time they will perform a rare procedure called EXIT (Ex Utero Intrapartum Treatment). They will partially



SCOUTS GATHER FOOD Members of Cub Scout Pack 566 recently delivered more than 400 pounds of donated food items to the District Exchange in Bethel. Pictured are (from left), Ana Rossow, Sam Wheeler, John Drew, Avery Rossow and James Lowell. (Photo by Stacey Rossow)

deliver the baby, keeping her attached to Myleca, and open an airway for the baby. The risk is high (only three other children have survived), but, the oldest survivor is now five years, and she can talk. Myleca has to give up her job, as she will need bed rest, and then after Faith is born, will need to remain close by while she is in the hospital in Pennsylvania. She will also need to remain in Pennsylvania and Faith can have up to 1½ years of hospitalization. They've a long road ahead, and are in need of prayer support, emotional support and financial support. If you want to offer your support for this family, you can contact Myleca's mother, Karen Storman, at (207) 926-4612, or make a donation to the Faith Waterman Fund, c/o Mrs. Sara Colby, 9B Summit Street, Auburn, ME 04210. There is also discussion of a benefit supper, but, we do not have all of the details on this yet.

Thank you. God Bless and Keep.

Waterford



by Rockie Graham

This has been an exciting couple of weeks. The most important news is that Sarah Arlene of Waterford, daughter of Becky Morin and Chris Hebert, entered the world at 8 a.m. this morning. She was expected and all are

excited about her. Last Sunday, a baby shower was held in their honor. Attending were paternal grandmother, Lillian Hebert; paternal great-grandmother, Arlene Hebert; maternal grandmother, Robin Hart; paternal aunts, Tammi Hebert and Paula Provencher; maternal step grandmother, Rockie Graham; cousins Barbie Littlefield, Bea Winitte, Sue Leavitt, Marilyn Quinn; sister, Sadie Ann Morin; Maternal aunts, Carrie Hart and Rosie Hart. Baby Sarah Arlene and her mom, Becky, received many nice gifts including hand knit sweaters, hats and other items from Aunt Tammi and many bottles and other necessary baby items.

This past week and this week, also, there are several fundraising suppers for the Jones Family of Waterford. The Jones lost all in a fire at their farm. We attended one at the Harrison American Legion Hall that was well attended. Many brought delicious food to share. It is too late for this paper, but Tuesday another is scheduled at the Locke Mills Legion Hall. Keep your eye open for more events.

Last Saturday, yours truly and husband David Hart attended the last Alder River Grange supper of the season. It was a turkey supper with all the fixings. That was two suppers this past weekend. Sure made cooking easy this weekend. Only problem was, no leftovers for lunches. It was worth it, though.

We are currently looking

for the guidelines for installing woodstoves. We need a second stove put in because this house is cold. It is colder than my old house even, and that was some cold. We have more light here, but that only helps when the sun is up and shining brightly.

Hope everyone is remembering our veterans today, the 11th. It is the 11th every year, unlike those Monday holidays. It commemorates our veterans who have served us all over the world. Whether we agree with a particular war or armed event, we still have to support our soldiers who serve there and all too often are injured or face chemical assault, whether it is agent orange, nuclear events or chemical warfare of some sort.

That is all for this week. I have David's two granddaughters running around the house while Becky, Rachel and Robin are at the hospital welcoming Sarah Arlene into the world. Have a good week.

North Newry



by Gil Seeley

Call to worship was held at the Newry Community Church Sunday morning with Pastor Rodney Hanscom at the pulpit and daughter Nancy at the organ. Scripture readings by Owen Wight, Nancy and Sue B. The message of the day was: "Can we see the Way?" from St. John 3: 11. "Verily, verily, I say unto thee, we speak that we do know, and testify that we have seen; and ye receive not our witness." A prayer followed,

Holy Communion, hymn sing, benediction and postlude. Amen.

Thought for the week: "In all things, it is better to hope than to despair."

Mason



by Richard Grover

November is turning out to be a busy month for us. Hunting season started

on Saturday, Nov. 1. Choir practice comes on Monday evenings, and every Tuesday evening is occupied by either Civil Air Patrol work sessions, staff meetings or American Legion (post and Oxford County) meetings. Fridays are pizza nights, and there are church and grange suppers and trips to other nonprofit organizational meetings.

Tuesday this week found us traveling to Bar Harbor to participate in a "Subordinate Unit Inspection" of the CAP squadron there, requiring in excess of eight hours travel time. Nov. 22 will bring a trip to Portland for a search and rescue exercise with CAP.

Other than that are the necessity of repairing my skidding winch and assisting other family members with problems of one kind or another, and, oh yes, registering Mona's new car. If it ever stops raining long enough to permit logging without creating quagmires, I hope to get back to logging.

The wind and rainstorms of the past two weeks took the last of the leaves off the huge sugar maples in front of the house, creating huge piles of leaves. Last time we were caring

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for Mona's great-grandson, Boston, he wanted to play in the leaves. We went out and created a pile of leaves higher than Boston's head. He had a great time jumping into the pile and asking me to cover him up with leaves. I've added sideboards to my utility trailer and hauled away dozens of loads of leaves. Every time the wind blows, a new batch of leaves arrives, hopefully containing fewer leaves each time. A good snowstorm will put an end to that.

On another note, I am reading a book titled, "Lucky Man," by Michael J. Fox. This is an excellent book, detailing Fox's life, from a boy in the family of an "average Joe" laborer in Canada to the height of celebrity as a Hollywood TV and movie star, to problems with alcohol abuse and his diagnosis of incurable Parkinson's disease. I haven't finished the book yet, but am pleasantly surprised by the down-to-earth writing style and Fox's revealing of some of his innermost feelings and less than glamorous faults.

Thought for the week: "When you get to the end of your rope, tie a knot and hang on." President Franklin D. Roosevelt (From "Bits and Pieces," August 2003.)

Locke Mills



by Lorraine Larson

What a nice, warm day we had last Saturday, but the evening sure was blustery, at least where I was, which was a holiday party at Chuck and Kathy Mason's in Gilead. It was really more a bash for the children, but I enjoy watching them have fun and sort of remembering when I could do that, too, not so many years ago. First, everyone enjoyed hot dogs, chips, and drink (I can still do that). Then they enjoyed a hayride through the countryside. Pastor Chuck took the older children first and then the littler ones with whatever grown-ups thought they wanted to

try it. Then after the pastor got a chance to eat he took those who wanted a second ride around again. The older boys played soccer and the younger children tried to pin the nose on the pumpkin, for which each received a prize. Those who were real daring bobbed for apples while everyone else shivered in the wind just watching them. The evening finished off with a piñata and no one got hurt in spite of some heroic swings. Of course, they all made a wild dash for the candy after the thing finally bit the dust. I don't know about the children but I was pretty tired when I got home just from watching them.

I was sorry to hear about the death of Ralph and Marcia's great-aunt, Mary Mills, Friday, at Stephen's Memorial Hospital. She had not been well for some time. The town offers its sincerest condolences to her sons, Blaine and Dwight Mills, and their families, and other relatives. Whenever the town loses one of its oldest citizens it seems like the end of an era that came all too soon, which, of course it is.

I attended the funeral of Aunt Mary, and it was a lovely service with a touching tribute to her from her grandson, Jason Rowlands. I was doing pretty well until then controlling my emotions but after that I didn't do so well. I was surprised myself how hard it was to say goodbye to her. She was a lovely woman and a part of my life for many years. She also was the last one of many aunts and uncles that came into my life when I married John, and I enjoyed being a part of a big family, something I never had. But somehow one by one they slipped away leaving only the memories and the regrets that one didn't spend more time with them when they were here. Life has a way of filling up our days with busyness and somehow the time escapes us, at least it does me. Maybe you can do a better job at making your moments count. I hope so.

One of the things that fill up my time is a little black cat that insists on helping me with everything. She seems

to think that my time should solely be spent holding her and she is very demanding and will not take no for an answer. She is getting older and she is not going to let any moments get away from her as she tries to get into my lap, and onto my shoulder. It does not matter to her that I have to type one handed. If I don't pay attention to her, she will sit on the keyboard and I won't get to type at all. I constantly put her on the floor, Princess will chase her into the kitchen, and before Princess can get back into the living room she is back standing on the mouse and from there to the keyboard. The next step is getting onto my shoulder again where she sings and sings. It is pretty hard to resist such devotion.

I met Joe Shim at the flu clinic, and he said Gerry was getting back the next day. I talked with her last night and she said they had a good time except they ended up having to pay one bill twice before they would let them get on the plane. They had everything paid for in advance but something didn't get in the computer, and that was the result. The airline admitted it was their fault; but, of course, it is going to take a while to get a refund. No wonder they complain about not having business enough. Who is going to travel if they get hassled like that? I am sure that most of us wouldn't have had the money to pay twice, and even if we did it would short us somewhere else, as I am sure it has them. I can add that to my many reasons for staying at home.

I am happy to report that Lucy is feeling much better from whatever it was she had. I don't like her sick but I must admit that she was much easier to take for a ride when she was. I took her back for a recheck and she was all over that car trying to find something to eat. She did, too. She found Princess' dog biscuit and promptly devoured that. I didn't mind that, but I was glad to get her and me back home before she got into

something she shouldn't and I hadn't run off the road trying to keep my eye on her.

Hanover



by Clem Worcester

The Referendum Election has ended. Seventy percent of the registered voters came through the office to vote. The results in Hanover were similar to results throughout the state. Ballot clerks for the Republicans were Joan Everett and Paul Ramsey. Democratic ballot clerks were Herb Adams and Donna Worcester. Election clerk was Kelly Crockett and the warden was Clem Worcester. Beef stew, prepared by Donna Worcester, was on the menu along with seven dozen donuts from a donut store. Some folks ate the apples.

An auto accident at Rumford Point closed the Route 232 bridge for a while Wednesday morning. There were no reports of injuries.

The Hanover Town Office schedule for the rest of November indicates the annual Town Meeting will be Thursday, Nov. 20; the office will be closed on Monday, Nov. 24, due to a meeting and closed again on Nov. 27 and 28 for Thanksgiving.

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

Services at the Baptist Church each Sunday are Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 5:15 p.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. is prayer meeting. Thursday at 9 a.m. is Ladies Bible time.

Someone told me they make good homemade bread at Breaux's II. They like the cinnamon-raisin bread toasted for breakfast.

Monday night, five members of Judith Grover Tent 17, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War went to Norway where a joint inspection was held of the three tents, Stoneham, Norway and Bryant Pond. A supper was served before the meeting. At the supper the Sons of Union Veterans joined them.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens met at the Grange Hall on Thursday for a meeting and turkey dinner with 41 members present.

Franklin Grange No. 124 met on Monday evening with a program on Veterans Day. Next meeting is Nov. 17 when the Thanksgiving Basket will be drawn. Remember to bring something for the basket.

It was good to see so many people voting on Nov. 4.

The Woodstock Extension will meet on Wednesday, Nov. 19, at the Town Annex. Meeting starts at 10:30 a.m. and the program is on decoration and culinary herbs. There will be a tasting party.

South Woodstock



by Andrea Wing

Maine Country Music Association is holding a Country Saturday Afternoon, Nov. 15, at the Loon View Restaurant and Lounge in Bridgton, on Route 302 headed toward Fryeburg. Featured are the White Mountain Boys, the Gelina Family of Gardiner and others. Cost is \$7 at the door. A 50-50 door prize and a raffle will be held. Call Lola Lee at 674-2571 for more information.

A benefit for Richard and Frances Jones will be held at the Harrison VFW Hall on Sunday, Nov. 16, from 1 to 5 p.m., with a 50-50 drawing and door prize. Entertainment

will be Richard Felt Band, Country Fever Band, Just the 2 of Us and Lola Lee. Admission is \$6 per person and \$3 under age 10. Cash donations welcome. A food concession stand will be available. For more information, call Esther at 743-9003, Betty at 743-7965, Barbara at 674-5667, or Lola Lee at 674-2571. Given by the friends of MCMA.

I had a nice chat with Chris Larson one morning recently. She said a beautiful bobcat came near her home and she and George Solari both saw it and took pictures. She doesn't want it killed, but thought you might want to know that they are around and can hurt house pets. We chatted about how we both love animals, especially cats. It was nice talking with her and hope to again soon.

Jo-Anna Southard has returned home to Missouri after spending a few days with her parents, Phelps and Joan Poland.

Diana Dunn and two boys, Brandon and Jarod, also returned home to Arizona. While they were here for a visit the whole family celebrated Jarod's third birthday party at his grandparents, Todd and Lynda Poland.

On Wednesday before Halloween the whole Poland family, that included Joan and Phelps Poland, Terry and Phil Merrill, Amy and Danny Bru and Logan, Todd and Lynda Poland, Diana Dunn, Jarod and Brandon, Tim Poland, Andrew and Lissa Merrill, had a jack-o-lantern carving party. They each did a pumpkin and set them all outside. It was quite a sight.

Seven female members of the Poland family spent a day shopping in Portland recently. It was the first time they'd done this, and they had a wonderful day.

Our son, Rick Wing, stopped by for a few minutes on his way to Bethel to do an electrical job.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that if you have to eat your words, at least eat them while they're hot."

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East Stoneham



by Eleanor Nelson
Hi readers. Sorry no news from here last week. I was busy taking sister Frances Grant to the Norway hospital on Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 27 and 28. If you plan to go to the ER, plan to stay at least a half day or longer. She was finally entered on Thursday, and she just came home on Nov. 5. Hope you're doing okay now, Frances.

Brian Rogers and Johnny Files and little Troy Rogers worked for Frances Grant on Oct. 25 doing chores and getting wood in, etc.

Mary Grover is at home now after being in Stephens Memorial Hospital. Glad you're home now, Mary.

On Wednesday, Nov. 5, the North Waterford Friendly Senior Citizens met for their monthly meeting at the North Waterford Church vestry at 11:30 a.m. A nice young fellow from Stephens Memorial Hospital was the speaker of the day talking about Healthy Living for Seniors and what things to do to keep them healthy. He talked about good nutrition and exercises they could do, being involved in social activities, being with other people and what to do about stress. It was very interesting. He asked questions and got many responses. We were glad to see Orpha Davis there. She is 99 years old. One lady mentioned the seniors' dinner every Wednesday at 12 noon at the Bridgton Armory (which is by the Horizons 60) on Depot Street (in by Reny's). They have many different programs going on that help the seniors. Secretary's report was made on the last meeting and foliage trip. After the meeting a delicious full Thanksgiving dinner was served and overseen by Viola and Denise and others. About 30 people were served. Thanks, Viola and Denise, for all your hard work. Arlene Wood won the 50-50. The next meeting and dinner will be at A.J.'s Everything Restaurant here in Stoneham at 11:30 a.m. on Dec. 3. Instead of a gift exchange, members are asked to give the cost of a gift to a charity.

On Tuesday, Nov. 4, Phyllis Adams and I were ballot clerks here in Stoneham. I was so glad to see so many people make the effort and come in and vote and chat. We had 123 people out of 200 registered voters, which is good for a non-presidential year. Midge (town clerk) made our day giving us pizza for lunch. It was good. Thanks, Midge. Mary Fox checked us out on the counting process. We had a good day. Oh yes, Albert Nelson Sr. brought us pop-sicles. Thanks, Albert. Next year we want ice cream bars. When are we ever going to get a Schwan's delivery truck again?

Gilead



by Elise Caswell

Thank heavens for the crystal clear sunshine that blew in with the northwest wind this weekend. The mists have been veiling the skies for so long, I forgot how brilliant the stars can be, and wasn't the eclipse Saturday night spectacular? We were lucky to get a clear image. The cold and the sunshine perks me up. I love the puffs of frost coming out my mouth and the nip of cold on my nose. Frisky, like a horse, that's how I feel.

November has been shrouded in white veils and cloud cover. It makes my house look clean when it's dirty. Somehow, the sunshine is more honest and motivates action where it comes to dust and grime. If there is no sun, I don't really see anything that needs to be done. Fine strong beams of light streaking in through grimy windows look three-dimensional when dust and dog hair dances in the lit-up air. At least I'm inspired to clean. It really isn't my favorite pastime.

The dump was throbbing with activity on Saturday morning, and it was good to see Bob acting like his old self again after his heart surgery and bout with pneumonia this year. There is a raffle fundraiser for a turkey dinner with all the fixings that is going to be a part of a

night of dessert and coffee and music at the Bog Brook Training Camp. Bob has already gone through fifty tickets and is working on his second batch. He has the best spot in town to go after the sales. Between the snow squalls and the eclipse lunacy, he was full of feisty humor. Frankly, I don't think I've ever seen the Gilead dump so busy at one time. I am looking forward to another opportunity to gather with local neighbors at Bog Brook to hear music by Donnie Katlin and Jewel Clark, but I figure I should wait till next week to put out all the details so it will be fresh in everyone's mind for Nov. 22. What happens if I win the turkey? I have a free one coming to me from a Shaw's shopping incentive. I already have my order out for a free-range turkey that my mom wants to contribute to our family Thanksgiving, and so far I've already participated in one Thanksgiving Dinner with Gilead. Hope I don't start growing a neck wattle. Living fifty years is enough to start one under your chin, so I hope my risk isn't increased by all the turkey I consume this November and most certainly, I don't want a red one.

Greenwood City



by Rena Curtis

November is here and hunting has started on deer.

Milton Inman is in Albany this week with his family and friends.

Eleanor Inman was up to the Town Office working on the polls with Paul Bartlett.

We didn't have too many trick-or-treaters here this year. Had one little girl dressed as a princess — very cute.

Troy, Dylan and Stephen Cogswell were up from Freeport and Bonnie Whitman and son, Jason, of Norway were here. Also Albert Curtis Sr., Albert Jr., Albert III, William Curtis, Julie and Ken Curtis, Carl and Timothy Curtis of town, Walter and Trisha Curtis of Norway were here over the weekend.

Stephen Cogswell was here Wednesday. Ray and Cheryl Curtis were here Saturday. Stephen Cogswell and I visited Barbara Black at Norway on Wednesday.

Anita Hakala and Carol Henderson tended the polls in the afternoon and evening. They were very busy.

Bradley Payne played golf at Fox Ridge Saturday.

Quote for the week: "True contentment is not in having everything, but being satisfied

with everything you have." Have a safe and happy week and hope the hunters will be careful.

From the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

In this centennial year of the Wright Brothers' aviation feat at Kitty Hawk, it seems appropriate to take a brief look at the role of the airplane in Bethel's past from early sightings in the 1920s to the development of airfields at West Bethel (1930s) and Northwest Bethel (1945) to the dedication of the Bethel Regional Airport: Col. Dyke Field (2003). Bethel Historical Society Director Stanley R. Howe will survey the role of aviation in Bethel's past in the final lecture of the 2003 series focusing on Maine transportation history on Thursday, Nov. 13, at the Dr. Moses Mason House meeting room, beginning at 7:30 p.m. This series of lectures was made possible in part by a grant from the New Century Community Program and the Maine Humanities Council. There is no admission charge and everyone is welcome.

On Nov. 8, Society Director Stanley R. Howe led a workshop at the Fall Workshop and annual meeting of Maine Archives and Museums at Colby College in Waterville with Marie Curcio, programs coordinator at the Abbe Museum on "Communicating with Your Community: Walking Tours and Other Public Programming." Howe described ways of making walking tours enjoyable, educational and memorable, and Ms. Curcio outlined a series of programming elements to raise public awareness of museums and historical societies.

From the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

Welcome to our newest member, Setter's Point, Inc. on Sawin Hill Road in Albany Township. The owner, Dennis Jellison, offers an activity that no other business in our area does — so spread the word. Dennis offers pheasant and quail hunting, all levels of clay shooting and fly-fishing in his stocked trout pond. He offers fishing and shooting lessons as well and organizes special events around these sports. Dennis can be contacted at 824-8824 or e-mail jell@megalink.net

All our members and friends are invited to our upcoming

Business After Hours socials: Thursday, Nov. 20, from 5 to 7 p.m. at Linda Clifford Scottish & Irish Merchant on Main Street, Bethel, and Thursday, Dec. 4, at L'Auberge Bistro and Country Inn, just off the Bethel Common, from 5 p.m. till the party runs out. At both locations you can be sure to have a great time networking with friends and fellow business people and enjoy tasty refreshments and luscious beverages. Please come.

Many thanks to the Bethel Inn and Country Club for hosting our annual Meeting and Dinner last week. The food was delicious and it was terrific to see so many of our members out. Additional thanks to our Board President-Elect Al Cressy for filling in on the business meeting. At the meeting, we voted in five new members to our Board of Directors. They are Don Murphy, Main-Land Development Consultants; Alex Adler, L'Auberge Bistro and Country Inn; Matt Dieterich, American Skiing Co.; Eric Schandelmeyer, Mt. Abram Family Resort; and Jim Costello, Sunday River Ski Resort. Congratulations to new board member, Matt Dieterich, for winning the chainsaw-carved moose.

The Thanksgiving weekend is our official kickoff to our Country Christmas in Bethel celebration. The first event is the popular Local Wares Fair on Friday, Nov. 28 at the Bethel Inn Conference Center. Forty-three local crafters and producers are registered and will be awaiting your arrival anytime between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Free horse-drawn wagon rides around the Bethel Village will be available from 2 to 4 p.m., sponsored by Oxford Networks.

The wagon rides will again be offered on Saturday, Nov. 29, from 2 to 4 p.m., sponsored by our friends at W.J. Wheeler & Co., Inc.

The following Saturday, Dec. 6, all are invited to the popular Taste of Bethel and Theme Wreath Auction, held at the Telstar Regional High School cafeteria. This event will be held from noon to 2 p.m. and is one of many special events being held in and around the Bethel area that day. Free horse-drawn wagon rides will again be offered from 2 to 4 p.m., again sponsored by Oxford Networks. Santa will be lighting the Christmas tree on the Bethel Common at 6 that evening and will be greeting children of all ages. It is our hope that many of our members are planning their unique wreath for this unusual wreath auction and that we will have wonderful participation from our area restaurants in the Taste of Bethel.

From the Oxford County Democrats

The Oxford County Democrats are sponsoring an exciting evening of Acadian food and music on Friday, Nov. 21, at the Eagles Hall in Rumford. Featured musician Jim Roy of Dixfield has been playing the "fiddle" since he was seven years old. At the age of 12, he entered one of Ken McKenzie's talent shows in Rumford. Ken McKenzie liked Jim's playing so much that he hired him to play with his band.

By the 1960s, Jim was one of the original members of the Countrymen, a group made up of outstanding local musicians. In the early '80s, he was playing with the late Jud Strunk throughout New England, before deciding to try his hand at fiddling in Texas. While in Texas, he played in a band called the Rednecks, a group that served as a warm-up band for Conway Twitty.

Joining Jim Roy for the Acadian Supper on Nov. 21 will be his son, Jon. Jim has participated in many fiddling contests over the years and was a winner several times. According to Linda Petrie, chairperson for the Acadian Supper, "Jim is a reminder to many of the Acadian people of this area of days gone by when it was common for folks to gather in the kitchen or parlor for a round of music, dancing, and singing."

Those appreciating Acadian culture, as well as those who would like to learn more, are invited to join the Oxford County Democrats at the Eagles on Friday, Nov. 21, at 5 p.m., for Acadian food and some great fiddling and music by the Roys. The menu will include poutines and chard, with hot dogs and fries also available. Tickets are \$6 per person and will be sold at the door.

Notes from SAD44 Adult Ed

The portable classroom behind Telstar Regional High School is beginning to feel like home now for the Adult Education staff.

"Woc is I," an intermediate grammar class on Wednesday nights, is winding down. Algebra I, on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, is at the halfway point. Modern Literature, on Tuesday mornings at 10, has completed "Snow Falling on Cedars," the second of five novels being discussed. This class is open to the community. If you would like to read and then discuss what you've read, please join us on Tuesday mornings. The next two weeks we will be

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reading Stephen King's "The Green Mile," "The Secret Life of Bees" will follow, and finally we'll read "The Lovely Bones," a chilling mystery told by the murdered girl.

The staff has just returned from the Maine Adult Education Association Conference where we worked on building curriculum that meshes Maine Learning Result and Equipped For the Future (Adult Ed's learning standards) with the No Child Left Behind Act, a heavy-duty task. We came home with many new ideas about how to make learning more interesting and the learning environment even more welcoming. Before we left the conference, we had joined with a national movement, called Teachers Against Prejudice (TAP). We will be sharing ideas via the Internet with teachers throughout the country.

Our new Learning Center is open to everyone. Stop by and say hello and look around. If you want to join us for a class, call the Adult Education office as usual at 824-2780.

From the Bethel Library

In early October, the Bethel Library launched its 2003-2004 Annual Fund seeking \$14,000 in contributions to replenish its "Improvement Fund" for continuing building and equipment refinements and to support its current operations — acquisitions, computers and on-line databases, staff compensation, operating supplies and utilities.

The trustees have announced that renovations to the library's stack area will commence soon — transforming the cramped, dingy, dark space into an inviting, well-lit area for fiction, non-fiction and books on tape. The \$22,000 project has been made possible by recent Annual Fund gifts and the Improvement Fund.

October donors to the library's Annual Fund include: an anonymous Bethel donor; John Amman, Bethel; Avery Angevine, Bethel, in memory of Mary Angevine; Hi and Mary Lou Berry, Newry, in memory of Judy Costa; Eva Chapman and Helen E. Berry; Merrill Bittner and Nancy Noppa, Newry; Garret and Melody Bonnema and

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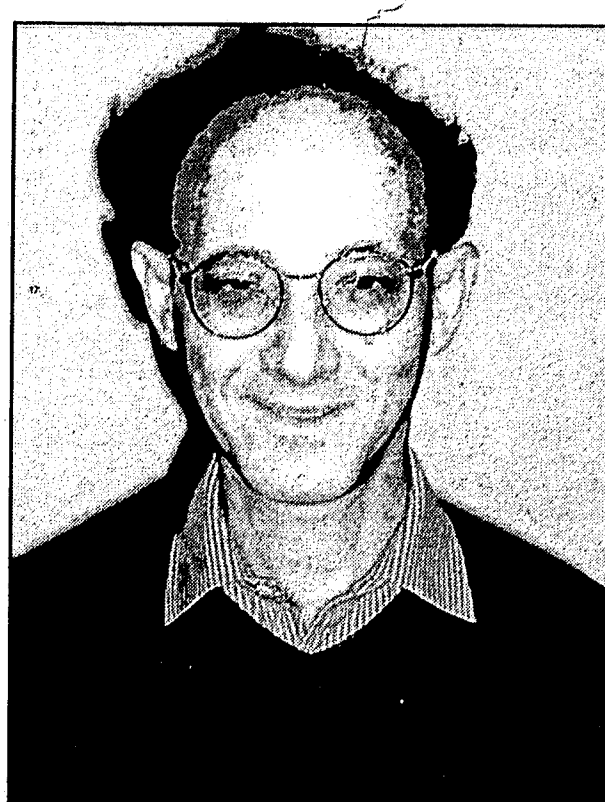
Grateful thanks to October's 87 donors — their gifts and pledges total \$7,480 toward the \$14,000 goal. Over the halfway mark — a wonderful, generous start to the Annual Fund.

For those wishing to join in the effort, gifts may be mailed to the Bethel Library Association, P.O. Box 130, Bethel, ME 04217-0130. Thank you.

From Gould Academy

Gould Academy math teacher and Maine Master Guide John Wight will be the featured speaker at the monthly Trout Unlimited meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 19.

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guiding business as well as fly-fishing in western Maine and on the Salmon River in Pulaski, N.Y.

Dinner will be available in the Ordway dining hall on the Gould campus before the meeting starting at 5:30 p.m.

The cost for dinner is \$6.50, and tickets may be purchased in advance from John Wight, P.O. Box 436, Bethel, ME 04217.

Advanced ticket purchasers will receive a gift of three flies tied by John Wight.

From the S.W.O.A.M.

Boundary Maintenance will be the topic of Saturday's Western Maine chapter meeting of the Small Woodland Owners Association of Maine. Maine State Forester Merle Ring and licensed forester and surveyor Fred Huntress will present the program beginning at 9 a.m. on Ernest Angevine's woodlot.

There will be a before-and-after section along with handouts and useful information on boundaries for all woodland owners.

The lot, the first of two that will be examined, is located two-plus miles up the North Road off Route 2. The airport and Bethel highway garage are located on the North Road. S.W.O.A.M. signs will direct the way.

"Probably the most important first step for any woodland owner is to establish the boundaries and keep them maintained," Ring says.

Coffee and doughnuts will be available at 8:30 a.m. For further information, contact Bill Haynes at 583-2963 or forest@maine.com. The meetings are open to anyone.

From the Western Mountains Senior College

Western Maine Senior College members are reminded that tickets for the Dec. 14 "Magic of Christmas" in Portland are on sale now at the Adult Education office. Call to reserve and pay 824-2780.

The cost of the performance and the bus trip is \$40 per person. Any tickets unsold by Nov. 28 will be returned to PortTix. We will meet in the larger Casablanca parking lot on Sunday, Dec. 14.

The Northeast Charter bus will load at 11:45 a.m., and will leave

at noon for the 2 p.m. matinee.

We should be back in Bethel about 5:30 or 6 p.m.

From the District Exchange

There will be a meeting of the District Exchange Board and volunteers on Tuesday, Nov. 18 at 6:30 p.m., at the Community Concepts meeting room in the Bethel Station apartment complex.

The agenda items will include upcoming food drives including transporting food donated at Turkey Tuesday, an evaluation of new hours, the substitute list, and other items as needed.

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Town of Bethel NOTICE OF PUBLIC FORUM ON Bethel Regional Airport Goals and Objectives

Wednesday, November 19, 2003 -- 4:00 p.m.
Town Office Meeting Room

In conjunction with its regular monthly meeting, the Bethel Airport Authority will discuss airport goals and objectives for the Bethel Regional Airport. The public is invited to attend.

This is part of a statewide aviation planning process to update the Maine Aviation Systems Plan that is being prepared by the Maine Department of Transportation, Office of Passenger Transportation. A representative from the Department will be present to hear public comments.

For further information contact Bethel Town Office
at 207/824-2669.

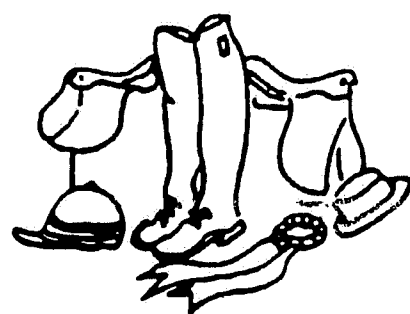
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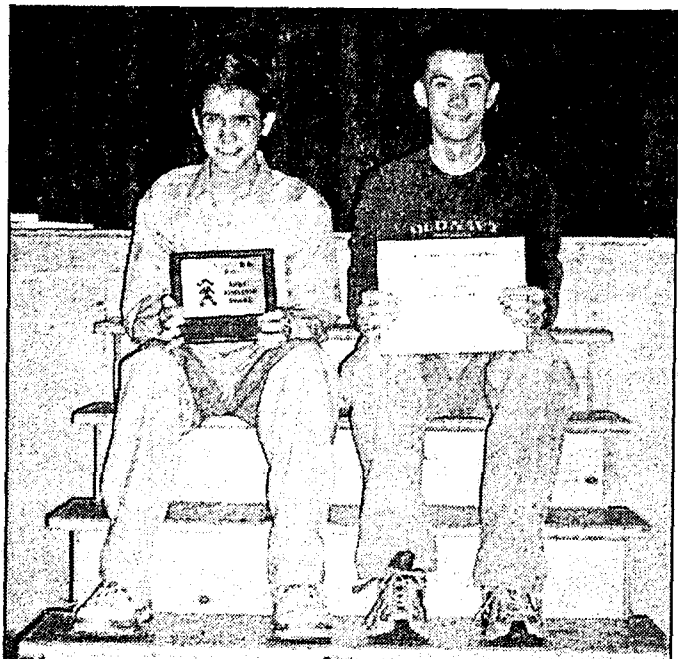
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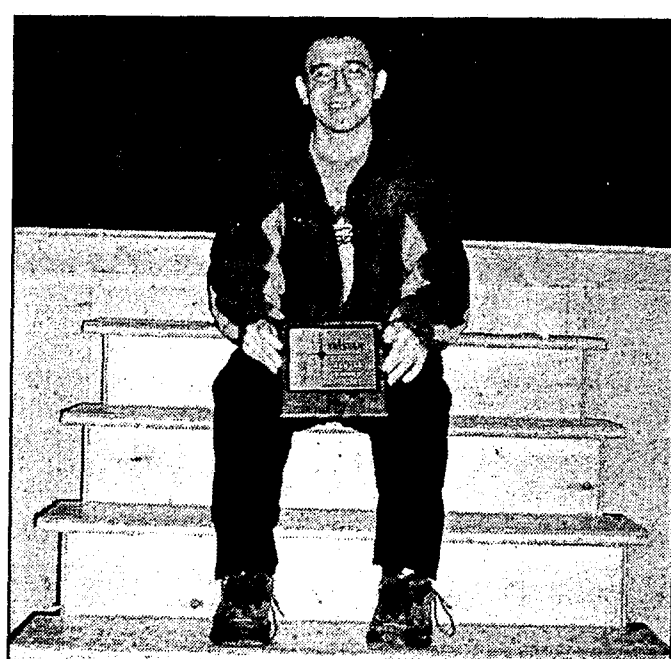
2003 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL FIELD HOCKEY—Front: Liz Rosenberg (Rookie of the Year); Kayla Mills (Mountain Valley Conference All-Star). Back: Santana Wilson (Four-Year Award; MVC Academic All-Star); Alanna Borst (MVC Academic All-Star); Ashley Stambolis (MVC All-Star).



2003 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL SOCCER—Front: Jake Largess (Captain Award, Gatoraid Player of the Year, MVC Academy All-Star); Simon Dumont (Hustle Award, MVC All-Star); Blake Conrad (Most Improved). Back: Peter Poor (Gatoraid Will to Win Award); Terry Collins (Gatoraid Rookie of the Year Award); Mike Hoy (Coach's Award, MVC All-Star). Absent: Eliot Poirer (MVC Academic All-Star).



2003 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL CROSS-COUNTRY—Paul Walters (Most Improved); Ryan Cross (Telstar Athlete of the Month for Cross-country). Absent: Andrew Farrington (Most Valuable Player, MVC First Team All-Star); Josh Longway (Rookie of the Year).



2003 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL GOLF—Ben Shimamura (Most Improved). Absent: Errol Andrews, MVC All-Star; Josh McDonnell (Rookie of the Year).

Gould wins MAISAD soccer championship

By JOHN NESBITT

The Gould Women's Varsity Soccer Team played to a double overtime victory Saturday against Hyde to win the MAISAD championship.

As the second overtime period was drawing to a close, senior Sarah Velte made a dash for the goal, beating two defenders and "bending it like Beckham" into the goal, sending her teammates and the hometown crowd into a frenzy as the Huskies took the title.

Conditions at game time were harsh, with a north-

westerly wind bringing the wind-chill to well below freezing, and snow squalls passing over the field on a number of occasions during the game.

However, conditions did not stop either team from bringing the ball to the goal throughout the game.

Gould goalie Brie Noyes '05 made clutch saves, repeatedly denying the Hyde offense access to the goal.

The Hyde defense kept the lady Huskies scoreless until well into the second overtime period.

TELSTAR SOFTBALL RAFFLE WINNERS

The winners in a recent Telstar High School softball team raffle:

\$25 winners: John Jacques, Linn Tripp, Tom Plante Jr., Herman Brown, Steve Keane, Kate Slattery, Linda Cozzolino, Ken Hoyt, Maryann Jordan, Rob Davis, Paula Lee, Jeanne Rosato, Barbara Brooks, Rick Mills, John Emery, Kevin Zinchuk, Harry

Kuzyk, Kara Jacques, David Tripp, Leah Deegan.

\$50 winners: Sharon Leighton, Steve Keane, Kevin Zinchuk, Liza Remington, Brock Cozzolino, Arlynn Hale, Kevin Billings, Charlie Newell, Sue Rosenberg.

\$250 winner: Gloria Snyder. The softball team also raffled off 24 one-pound lobsters. The winner was Jolene Littlehale of Bryant Pond.

School Lunch: Week of Nov. 17

Telstar High and Middle School Lunches

Monday: Hamburg steak, smashed potato/gravy, green beans, dinner roll. Special: veggie pizza.

Tuesday: Popcorn chicken, popcorn potatoes. Special: bacon cheeseburger pizza.

Wednesday: Baked rotini w/hot veggie, biscuit. Special: mushroom pizza.

Thursday: Roast turkey, mashed potato, gravy, veggie, cranberry sauce, stuffing, dinner roll. Special: B.B.Q. chicken pizza.

Friday: supreme pizza.

Choice of milk and fresh or portioned fruit or fruit juice each meal.

SAD44 Elementary Schools Lunches

Monday: Tacos w/salsa.

Tuesday: Popcorn chicken, popcorn potatoes.

Wednesday: Beef-R-Roni, hot veggie, dinner roll, dessert treat.

Thursday: Roasted turkey, mashed potato, gravy, stuffing, cranberry sauce, veggie, roll.

Friday: Pizzeria pizza, tossed salad w/dressing.

Choice of milk and fruit each meal.

Weekly alternates: Yogurt/cheese "fun" lunch, triple peanut butter/jelly sandwich, chef's salad.

Oxford Hills District

Monday: Popcorn chicken w/BBQ sauce, twister fries, fruit, milk.

Tuesday: Meatball sub w/cheese, sliced carrots, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Turkey casserole, peas, cranberry sauce, mashed potato, roll, pudding, milk.

Thursday: Chilled yogurt w/warm jumbo pretzel, celery sticks/peanut butter, fruit, milk.

Friday: Rib-B-Que patties/bun, whole kernel corn, fruit, milk.

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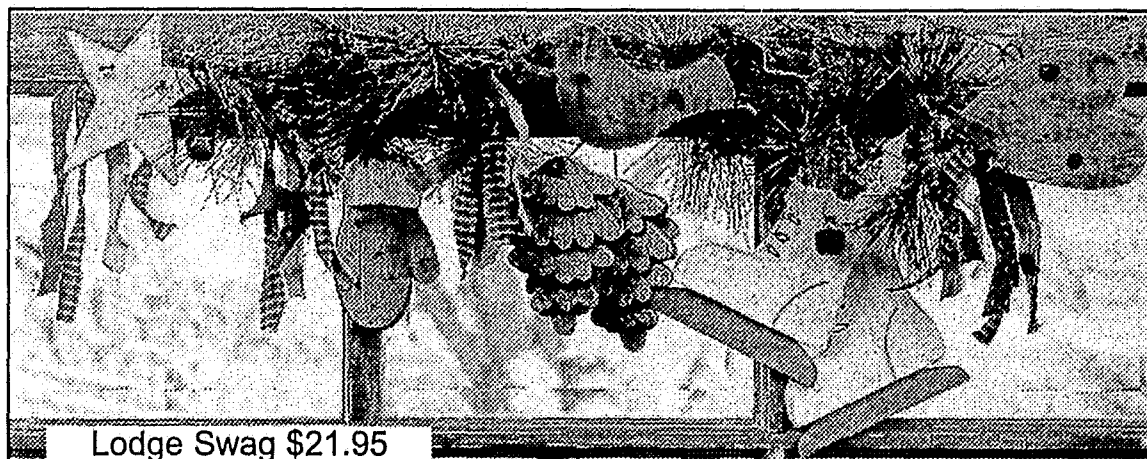
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Events Calendar

Public Computer Access — Hours at the SAD44 Adult Learning Center, Philbrook Street, Bethel are Monday and Tuesday, 9 to 12 a.m.; Wednesday and Thursday, 4 to 7 p.m. for academic instruction and GED preparation, as well as use of the computer lab.

Seniors Lunch every Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m., at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by SeniorsPlus. Donation for 60 and older and spouses, \$2.50; all other guests, \$4. Reservations important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3168 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels).

9 a.m. (Thursdays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-9001) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

Oct. 20-Nov. 30 — Maya Best of Greenwood will have one-person art show at the Commons Gallery, 447 Main Street, Norway. Opening reception: Friday, Nov. 7, 7 p.m. Free and open to public. Gallery hours: Thursday and Friday 9 to 6 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Thru Dec. 18 — "Language of Hands" photography exhibit by Sally Taylor at Owen Art Gallery, Gould Academy. Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Free.

Tuesdays, 12 to 2 p.m. — Watercolor class, Ruthie's Dress Shop, Bethel. FMI: call 759-1895 (toll free pager).

Thursday, Nov. 13

10 a.m. — Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond, will feature John Hathaway of Bryant Pond, a bottle and jar collector. Public cordially invited to attend.

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Diabetes Fair at Androscoggin Valley Hospital Lecture Room, Berlin, N.H. Exhibits, free diabetes risk assessment, nutritional information, guest speakers, diabetes information, giveaways, raffles, refreshments. All welcome. FMI: call (603) 752-2200 Ext. 115.

5:30 p.m. — Oxford County Democrats meeting at Telstar Regional High School. Potluck supper in Room 106, Business Meeting 6:30 p.m. FMI: contact Cathy Newell at 875-2116 or cathy@megalink.net.

Friday, Nov. 14

11 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Flu Shot Clinic at Andover Town Hall. Cost: \$10. Medicare members should bring insurance card. FMI: 824-2193.

1 to 5 p.m. — American Red Cross Blood Drive at Bingham Gymnasium on Gould Academy campus. Appointments preferred (call Bethel Family Health Center at 824-2193) but walk-in donors are also welcome.

Saturday, Nov. 15

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Craft Fair at Sons of Italy Hall, Route 108, Rumford. Food, raffle, 50/50.

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Fall Fair at United Methodist Church, Linnell Street, Rumford. Crafts, baked goods, attic treasures, books, cookie decorating and beef stew luncheon 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Craft Fair at Market Square Health Care Center, South Paris. Craft tables available for \$10; space limited so call 743-7086 by Nov. 12.

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Christmas Fair sponsored by Androscoggin Valley Hospital Auxiliary, Berlin,

N.H. at the hospital cafeteria and first floor hallway. Many vendors. FMI: call (603) 752-2200 Ext. 471.

4 p.m. — Trivia Quiz at Locke Mills Town Hall sponsored by Locke Mills Union Church and Greenwood Historical Society. Admission free. Historical display downstairs followed by a fish chowder and soup supper with rolls and biscuits, gingerbread and whipped cream at Locke Mills Union Church. Donation: adults, \$5, under 12, \$2.50.

5 and 6 p.m. — Chicken Pie Supper (w/potato, vegetable, dessert, beverage) at Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church. Sale of tickets begins at 4 p.m. Reservations taken only on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. by calling 583-9024. Adults, \$7; under 12, \$3.

7 p.m. — Common Drum (Maya Best, Alan Day and Jan Kubiac) will perform with various drumming styles and instruments at the Commons Gallery, 447 Main Street, Norway. FMI: call 743-9044 (Fare Share Commons) or Lisa Moore at 743-9808.

Sunday, Nov. 16

1 to 5 p.m. — Benefit Country Sunday Afternoon for Richard and Frances Jones of Waterford (who lost their home to fire) at the VFW Hall, Harrison. Entertainers: Richard Felt Band, Country Fever Band, Just The Two of Us, Lolalee. 50/50 drawing, raffles, door prizes, food concession. Admission: adults, \$6; under age 10, \$3. Cash donations welcome. FMI: call Esther (743-9003), Betty (743-7965), Barbara (674-5667) or Lolalee (674-2571). Don't forget your dancing shoes. Given by Friends of MCMA.

4 p.m. — Bethel Outing Club annual meeting at Carter's Cross Country Ski Center, Bethel. Preseason clinics for all ages from 2 to 4 p.m. Public welcome to attend.

Tuesday, Nov. 18

11 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Flu Shot Clinic at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street. Cost: \$10. Medicare members should bring insurance card. FMI: 824-2193.

5 to 7 p.m. — Region 9 School of applied Technology Community Open House, 377 River Road, Mexico. Learn about programs offered. Special Financial Aid presentation by FAME at 6:30 p.m. FMI: call 364-3764.

6:30 p.m. — Telstar Alumni Association monthly meeting at Telstar Regional High School Conference Room. All alumni welcome to attend.

6:30 p.m. — District Exchange Board and volunteers meeting at Community Concepts meeting room at Bethel Station apartment complex. Agenda items: upcoming food drives including transporting food donated at Turkey Tuesday, evaluation of new hours, substitute list, and other items as needed.

Wednesday, Nov. 19
10:30 a.m. — Woodstock Extension meeting at Town

Annex. Program on decoration and culinary herbs. Tasting party.

4 p.m. — Town of Bethel Public Forum on Bethel Regional Airport Goals at the Bethel Town Office meeting room. FMI: call 824-2669.

6:30 to 9 p.m. — At McLaughlin Foundation, South Paris: Baking for the Holidays by Lisa Whitley. Bread, tart and pie recipes and helpful hints. Fee: \$15 includes all materials. Pre-registration required (743-8820).

November 19, 20,

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7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Telstar Middle School Book Fair at Telstar Library. Proceeds benefit Grade 8 Outward Bound trip. Accelerated Reader list available in the library. Books make great Christmas gifts.

Thursday, Nov. 20
5:30 p.m. (first setting) — 97th annual **Chicken Pie Supper** at West Paris Universalist Church. Menu: chicken pie, mashed potatoes, squash, peas, gravy, cranberry sauce, hot rolls, homemade pies. Cost: \$7/\$4.

Friday, Nov. 21

10:30 a.m. — Oxford County Education Association-Retired (formerly OCRTA) social period and business meeting (11 a.m.) at Locke Mills Legion Hall, Gore Road. Silent auction. New retirees welcome. Call 539-2552 to reserve a dinner ticket.

5 p.m. — Acadian Musical Supper with Jim and Jon Roy, Rumford Eagles, to benefit Oxford County Democrats. Menu includes Poutine and Chard. \$6 per person at door.

7 p.m. — Writer's Read at the Commons Gallery, 447 Main Street, Norway, sponsored by Maya Best of Greenwood. Call 824-8705 if you would like to read an original work. Beginning writers welcome.

Saturday, Nov. 22
9:30 to 11:30 a.m. — **Maine Chapter, National Multiple Sclerosis** will present Dr. Ann Cabot, Neurologist at York Neurology discussing Living with MS: Update on Research, at the Bethel Inn.

9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. — Holiday Craft Fair at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School, South Paris. Free baby-sitting, over 75 door prizes, lunches served. Pictures with Santa 12 to 2 p.m. Admission: \$1 for adults, 18 and under free. FMI: call 743-8914, Ext. 5100.

2 to 4 p.m. — Explorations Art Exhibit at the Summit Hotel, Sunday River, by grades 1 through 12 and adults. Free admission. Refreshments.

2 to 4 p.m. — Author Tamra Wight of Poland Springs will sign copies of her children's book, "The Three Grumpies" at Books-N-Things, Oxford. Free children's craft activity for children to make their own grumpy



RAYCHARLES LAMONTAGNE AT THE ODDFELLOW THEATER, NOVEMBER 22

Singer/songwriter phenomenon. Ray Charles LaMontagne will appear at the Oddfellow Theater in Buckfield on Saturday, November 22 at 7:30 P.M.

A longtime favorite and hometown boy at the Oddfellow Theater, Ray Charles LaMontagne is bursting onto the national music scene. He has recently opened for B.B. King and David Crosby, released a "Live from Merrill Auditorium" CD, and signed with Chrysalis Records.

Mike Miclon, owner of the Oddfellow Theater, is thrilled to be able to bring Ray back to Buckfield, adding "Come see him now before he's too big to play places around here!"

Tickets are \$10 all seats. Tickets are available at Northeast Bank in Buckfield, or call The Oddfellow Theater box office at 336-3306. Visa and MasterCard accepted. The Oddfellow Theater is on Route 117 in Buckfield. For more information, visit www.oddfellow.com

faces. FMI: call 743-7197 or e-mail booksnthings@gwi.net.

6 to 8:30 p.m. — Public Dessert and Coffee at Bog Brook Training Center, Gilead, with musical entertainment by Donnie Katlin and Jewel Clark. Admission: \$5.

7:30 p.m. — At Oddfellow Theater, Route 117, Buckfield: **Ray Charles LaMontagne**, singer/songwriter. Tickets: \$10 all seats, available at Northeast Bank, Buckfield or call the theater box office at 336-3306. Visa and MasterCard accepted.

8 to 11 p.m. — Old Time Dance at Locke Mills Town Hall with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Proceeds benefit Greenwood Historical Society.

Tuesday, Nov. 25

2 p.m. — Bethel Philatelic Club meeting at Bethel Historical Society's Robinson House, Broad Street.

7 p.m. — Informational Hearing on proposed new recreational bridge across Androscoggin River in Bethel will be held at Crescent Park School Cafeteria.

Friday, Nov. 28

7 a.m. to 7 p.m. — Telstar Varsity Softball Team will watch and entertain your child/children at the high school. A shopping day fundraiser. Lunch and snacks provided. Dinner at additional cost. Children 2 to 12 by reservation only. Call Joan Kimball (824-3191) or Jodie Wilson (824-3180). Cost: \$2/hour/child. Family rates available.

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Local Wares Fare at Bethel Inn Conference Center, sponsored by Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce. 43 local crafters and producers. FMI: call 824-2282.

Saturday, Nov. 29

9 to 11 a.m. — At McLaughlin Foundation, South Paris: Cranberry Wreath Workshop. Demonstration on how to make a lasting cranberry wreath. Fee: \$20 includes all materials needed to make one 12-inch wreath. Refreshments. Space limited (reserve at 743-8820).

2 to 4 p.m. — Free Horse-Drawn Wagon Rides in Bethel village sponsored by Oxford Networks.

Sunday, Nov. 30

7:30 to 11 a.m. — Rotary Club Country Breakfast (all-you-can-eat buffet) hosted by Bethel Rotary Club at Gould Academy Ordway Hall. Adults, \$5, children, \$2.50.

Monday, Dec. 1

Telstar Guidance Office will host information session on Financial Aid and the FFSA with Ron Milliken, Director of Financial Aid at University of Maine Farmington. FMI: call 824-2136 Ext. 308.

Wednesday, Dec. 3

Christmas for Families Fundraiser at Jackson-Silver Post 68, Locke Mills. Calendars, benefit bingo, raffle and food sale.

Fridays-Saturdays-

Sundays, Dec. 5-20

7:30 p.m. Fri/Sat, 2 p.m. Sun. — "A Christmas Story" — a comedy by Jean Shepherd at Schoolhouse Arts Center, Routes 114 and 35, Standish. For reservations, call 642-3743. Tickets: adults, \$14; students and seniors, \$12. Holiday Bazaar one hour before performance. Santa.

Saturday, Dec. 6

Noon to 2 p.m. — Taste of Bethel and Theme Wreath Auction at Telstar Regional High School Cafeteria. There will also be many special events being held in and around the Bethel area that day. Free horse-drawn wagon rides from 2 to 4 p.m. Santa will light the Christmas tree on Bethel Common at 6 p.m.

December 11-21

Portland Symphony Orchestra's "Magic of Christmas" at Merrill Auditorium, 20 Myrtle Street, Portland. Tickets and show times: phone PortTix at 842-0800 and online at www.portlandsymphony.com. Discounted tickets available for students and seniors.

Saturday, Dec. 13

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Craft Fair sponsored by Andover Fire Department. Santa arrives at 1 p.m. Cost for tables: \$10. FMI: call Elaine Morton at 392-1140.

4 p.m. — Christmas Cantata at Locke Mills Union Church. The choir, directed by Beverly Melville, will consist of people from several area churches.

6:30 p.m. — Christmas Holiday Performance by Spring Street Dance Theater at Helen C. Berry Auditorium, Telstar Regional High School. Admission: \$3, children under 12 free. Proceeds benefit Telstar High School softball team. FMI: call 824-6522.

December 14

Western Mountain Senior College members trip to "Magic of Christmas" in Portland. To reserve, call Adult Education office at 824-2780. Cost: \$40.

Support Services

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Alcohol/Drug Treatment

Gateway Recovery Services—Outpatient counseling services available at Bethel Family Health Center, Mondays and Wednesdays. For info, call 207-743-7580.

Exchanges

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Thursday 3 to 7 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS Self-Help Group

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30 p.m. at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tout at 836-2900.

Mental Illness Support Group

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional or physical illness, provides support, relaxation and socialization. Monday, 1 to 5 p.m.; Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Thursday, 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday, 2 p.m. to 7 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, call 364-3549 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays or (800) 335-9999 off hours. 928-3222.

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

Veterans' Services (State/VA Benefits)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday. Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m. Tel. 392-4841. (new members welcome)

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4641.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 1-5 p.m.; Saturday, 9-1 p.m. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11 a.m. October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

Crescent Park Elementary School: Open every Wednesday evening from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. to the Public.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2960.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday 1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.; Thursday 1:30-7 p.m.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m. 674-2004.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story

Upton Library: Saturdays 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Monthly Meetings

First Sunday: Bethel Snow Twisters Club meets at Clayton Crockett's at 7 p.m. September through April.

Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club meeting at Newry Town Office.

Second Sunday: Western Maine Mountain Trail Mixers ATV Club meets at 6:30 p.m. at Sun Valley Sports, 129 Sunday River Road, Bethel. New members welcome.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

Bethel Freedom Group AA meeting, 6 to 7 p.m. ST/BB at Bethel Fire Station.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Newry Fire Department monthly meetings: first Monday, 7 p.m., at Sunday River Station; third Monday, 7 p.m., Bear River Station.

Franklin Grange #124, 7:00 p.m., call 674-3046 or 674-3962 for more info.

First Monday: Greenwood Planning Board meets at Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17,

Ellis River Riders meet at Andover Fire Station, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for place.

Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Every Monday: Mahosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church (downstairs).

First Tuesday: Upton selectmen meet at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Western Maine Knitters Guild meets at Christ Church, Norway, 10 a.m. to noon.

First and Third Tuesday: The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMICAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

Bethel Area Promise Keepers, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

FACTS (Family/Friends And Consumers Together for Support) 6:30-8 p.m. at Ethel Bisbee Adult Learning Center. Contact Rhonda at 824-3076.

Greenwood selectmen meet at Town Office, 5 p.m.

Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Woodstock Selectmen meet at 5 p.m. at Town Office.

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Telstar Alumni Association meets in the guidance conference room.

Ladies' Bible Fellowship, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Second and Fourth Tuesday: The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Rebel Family Restaurant, West Bethel at 6:30 p.m.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

CrossCountry Quilters will meet at the Robinson House or Bethel Library from 1 to 3 p.m.

Cub Scout Pack 566 meeting, 6 p.m., at Crescent Park School Cafeteria.

Mollycoddett Chorus practice, 6:30-9 p.m. at Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Skeetfield Rd., Oxford (Call 824-2468 for info).

First Wednesday: Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church, Potluck luncheon.

The Ash-Risely Detachment of the Marine Corps League meets at 6:30 p.m. at the VFW Post #2520, Berlin, NH. All current marines and former Marines are welcome to attend. For more information, please call (603) 237-9395 or (603) 752-3042.

Second Wednesday: Gilead selectmen meet at Town Office, 7 p.m. Tax collector also holds hours.

Friends of the West Paris Library, 6:30 p.m. (new members welcome)

Woodstock-Greenwood Sports Boosters Club, 6 p.m. in basement of Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 928-2611.

Women's Fellowship, West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Bethel, 9:30 a.m.

Jefferson Chapter, 89, OES, Bryant Pond, 6:30 p.m.; refreshments, 7:30 meeting. (Except July and Aug.)

Last Wednesday of Sept., Nov., Jan., March and May: Crescent Park School PTA, 6:30-8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

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Calvary Bible Church—Pastor John O'Keefe. Winter hours: Sunday School 9:30-10:30 am morning worship 10:45-noon. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30pm, Route 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL
Bethel Alliance Church—10:00 a.m. worship. Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. Evening fellowship and youth ministries 6:00pm, Sundays. Prayerfellowship 7:00 p.m. Wednesdays.

Church of the Nazarene—Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school (2 hours, including recreation activities; call 824-4028 for transportation). 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service. 824-4028 (voicemail) or 824-7289 FMI.

West Parish Congregational—Rev. Daniel Johnson. 10:30 a.m. worship. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tues., 8 a.m. FMI call 824-8860.

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United Methodist—Geoffrey Gross, Pastor, 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., there is also an adult study group during Sunday School.

West Bethel Union—9 a.m. worship and Sunday school. For info. call 836-2844 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

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Episcopal House Church—Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4:00pm at 38 Chapman Street. For further info, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ—at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

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2 WMPX-PAX, Waterville	9 WPXT, WB Portland	16 Hallmark Channel	23 ESPN2	30 Lifetime	37 Discovery Channel	44 Inspirational Network
3 WSBK-TV 38, Boston	10 WCBB, PBS Lewiston	17 The Disney Channel	24 Nickelodeon	31 Sci-Fi Channel	38 MTV Television	45 Home & Garden TV
4 Channel IV, Bethel	11 QVC Network	18 Cartoon Network	25 AMC	32 ABC Family Channel	39 CNN	46 E!
5 FOX Network	12 WGN, Chicago	19 CSPAN	26 USA Network	33 CNN Headline News	40 TNT	47 MSNBC
6 WCSH, NBC Portland	13 WGME, CBS Portland	20 NESN	27 A&E	34 TNN	41 FX Network	48 CNBC
7 Sunday River Ski TV	14 TV Guide Channel	21 FOX Sports Network	28 Animal Planet	35 Video Hits (VH-1)	42 The Learning Channel	49 TBS
8 WMTW, ABC Auburn	15 Court TV	22 ESPN	29 The History Channel	36 Country Music (CMT)	43 The Weather Channel	50 FOX News Channel

THURSDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 13, 2003										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) King	70s Show	WWE SmackDown!					News		Becker	Frasier
(32) 7th Heaven		Movie: "The Sandlot"					Whose? Whose?		700 Club	
6 News	Seinfeld	Friends	Friends	Will-Grace	Scrubs	ER			News	
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Threat Matrix		Extreme Makeover		Primetime Thursday			News	
10 News-Lehrer		Old House	Made In	Frontline		Frontline			Charlie Rose	
(22) SportsCtr.	College Football: Virginia at Maryland						SportsCenter			
(34) Cheers	Cheers	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Elimination	Elimination	Elimination	Elimination	Elimination	Elimination		
18 Friends	Ent. Tonight	Survivor: Pearl Islands	CSI: Crime Scn		Without a Trace				News	
(41) Tailgate	Cheerlead	Best Damn Sports Show Period			Sports	Sports			Best Damn Sports Show	
(15) Star Trek V: Frontier		Inside the NFL		Movie: "City by the Sea"					Taxicab Confessions	
(17) Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Zenon: The Zequel"			Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud		
(18) "Private Parts" Cont'd		Movie: "The Ghost and the Darkness"			Movie: "Behind Enemy Lines"					
(20) Outdoors	Outdoors	NE Journal	Camo Cnt	Go Boating	Divers	SportsPlus	ESPNNews			
(44) Nanny	Nanny	Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "The Three Lives of Karen"			Golden	Golden		
(5) Seinfeld	Friends	Movie: "Proof of Life"				Movie: "City of Angels"				
(24) Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25) Movie: "Hombre" Cont'd		Movie: "The Good, the Bad and the Ugly"						Movie: "The Shootist"		
(26) House Wars		Law & Order		Movie: "DC Sniper: 23 Days of Fear"				Law & Order		
(27) American Justice		Biography		Movie: "Beverly Hills Cop II"				Third Watch		
(12) Becker	Home Imp.	Movie: "In the Heat of the Night: Grow Old With Me"			News			Becker	Will-Grace	
(39) Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live			NewsNight-Aaron Brown			Lou Dobbs Tonight		

FRIDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 14, 2003										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) King	70s Show	Movie: "The Best Man"					News		Becker	Frasier
(32) 7th Heaven		Movie: "At First Sight"					Whose?		700 Club	
6 News	Seinfeld	Dateline		Miss Match			Third Watch		News	
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Lopez	Married	Hope	Life-Bonnie	20/20			News	
10 News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Maine.	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Fawly T.	Wall		Now With Bill Moyers	
(22) SportsCtr.	NBA	NBA Basketball: San Antonio Spurs at Philadelphia 76ers					NBA Basketball: Magic at Nuggets			
(34) Cheers	Cheers	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Star Trek: Next Gener.		CSI: Crime Scn				
18 Friends	Ent. Tonight	Joan of Arcadia	JAG			Handler			News	
(41) Tailgate	NBA Basketball: Cleveland Cavaliers at Boston Celtics					Postgame	Sports	Sports	Best-Sports	
(15) Inside the NFL		Movie: "Star Wars: Episode II -- Attack of the Clones"					Master	K Street	Transporter	
(17) So Raven	Lizzie	Movie: "Bug's Life"					Movie: "Bug's Life"			
(18) Majestic	On Set	Movie: "Blood Work"					Movie: "Half Past Dead"			
(20) NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Columbus Blue Jackets				Overtime		Wild World of Winter	ESPNNews			
(44) Nanny	Nanny	Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Tumbleweeds"				Merge		
(5) Seinfeld	Friends	House Rules		House Rules		Movie: "Jack Frost"				
(24) Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Robot	Neutron	ChalkZone	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25) "The Shootist" Cont'd		Movie: "Mary Reilly"				Movie: "Halloween III: Season of the Witch"				
(26) Law & Order		Movie: "Con Air"				Monk		Law Cl		
(27) American Justice		Poirot				Poirot		Third Watch		
(12) Becker	Home Imp.	In the Heat of the Night				News		Becker	Will-Grace	
(39) Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight		

SATURDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 15, 2003										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "No Way Out"					News	Sanders	Walker, Texas Ranger	
(32) Romy and Michele's	Switched!			Perfect Match: New York			Movie: "Romy and Michele's High School Reunion"			
6 Maine	Seinfeld	Las Vegas		Law Order Cl			Law & Order		News	Sat. Night
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "The Challenge"					Funniest Home Videos		News	Raceline
10 Made In	What's for	Nature		Nature			Nature		Red Green	Red Green
(22) Gameday	College Football: LSU at Alabama						SportsCenter			
(34) VGA Speed	Ride	Elimination	Elimination	SlamBall			WWE Velocity		WWE Confidential	
18 News		48 Hours Investigates	Hack				District		News	Ent. Tonight
(41) College Hockey: Merrimack at Boston University						College Football		Best Damn Sports Show	Tailgate	
(15) Sister Act 2: Back		Movie: "I Spy"				Boxing: Marco Antonio Barrera vs. Manny Pacquiao				
(17) So Raven	Lizzie	Movie: "Right on Track"					Sister, Sis.	So Raven	Kim	Proud
(18) "Don't Say a Word"		Movie: "Chain Reaction"					Movie: "Auto Focus"			
(20) NHL Hockey: Vancouver Canucks at Boston Bruins				Overtime		Breakaway	ESPNNews	ESPNNews		
(4) Movie: "Rush of Fear"				Wild Card			1-800-Missing		What Should You Do?	
(5) College Football: Southern California at Arizona								Movie: "Caddyshack"		
(24) Neutron	Oddparents	All That	Romeo!	Amanda	Amanda	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25) "Mary Reilly" Cont'd		Movie: "Psycho III"					Movie: "Alien Resurrection"			
(26) Law & Order		Law & Order				Law & Order		Law Order Cl		
(27) City Confidential		American Justice		Cold Case Files		Hunting Sniper		Crossing Jordan		
(12) Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.		NBA Basketball: Seattle Sonics at Chicago Bulls				News	Total Recall	
(39) Capital Gang		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		CNN Presents		

SUNDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 16, 2003										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) King	King	Movie: "Father of the Bride Part II"					News	Phantom	Sanders	Pyramid
(32) Movie: "Lucas" Cont'd		Movie: "The Great Outdoors"					Movie: "Spies Like Us"			
6 Dateline		American Dreams		Law Order Cl			Law Order Cl		News	Maine
8 AMA Red Carpet Party		American Music Awards							News	Hot Ticket
10 American Family		Nature			Coyote Waits: An American Mystery Special			To Contrary	Religion	
(22) SportsCtr.	NFL Primetime			NFL Football: Dallas Cowboys at New England Patriots					SportsCtr.	
(34) WWE Sunday Night Heat	Joe Schmo			Movie: "New Jack City"				Movie: "New Jack City"		
18 60 Minutes	Cold Case			CSI: Crime Scn			CSI: Crime Scn		News	Friends
(41) See This	See This	Boxing: Favela vs. Jorin		Beyond the Glory			Best Damn Sports Show		Boxing: Favela vs. Jorin	
(15) "Batman Forever" Cont'd		Sopranos		Carnivale			K Street	Harry Potter-Chamber		
(17) House	House	House	House	House	House	House	House	Kim	Proud	
(18) "Juwanna Mann" Cont'd		Movie: "Dead Presidents"					Movie: "Full Metal Jacket"			
(20) McCarver	Breakaway	Outdoors	Outdoors	NE Journal	Camo Cnt	Go Boating	Divers	ESPNNews		
(44) Movie: "Deadly Betrayal"				Division			Strong Medicine		1-800-Missing	
(5) Movie: "Matilda" Cont'd		Movie: "The Wizard of Oz"					Movie: "The Wizard of Oz"			
(24) Nicktoon	Romeo!	Garcla	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25) "Fatal Attraction" Cont'd				Movie: "Fatal Attraction"				Movie: "The Shawshank Redemption"		
(28) Movie: "Braveheart" Cont'd				Movie: "Ransom"					Law & Order	
(27) "Beverly Hills Cop II"		Biography		Biography		Meet the Royals		MI-5		
(12) Mutant X		Andromeda		X-Files		News	Replay	Maillock		
(39) People in the News		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		CNN Presents		

MONDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 17, 2003										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) King	70s Show	Parkers	Eve	Girlfriends	Half		News		Becker	Frasier
(32) 7th Heaven		Movie: "Father Hood"					Whose? Whose?		700 Club	
6 News	Seinfeld	Fear Factor		Las Vegas			Average Joe		News	
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Briney Spears		NFL Football: Pittsburgh Steelers at San Francisco 49ers						
10 News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		American Experience					Charlie Rose	
(22) SportsCtr.	Monday Night Countdown			Wild Rules	Wild Rules	Sportsman			Hooked	Offshore
(34) Cheers	Cheers	Star Trek: Next Gener.		WWE Raw					Elimination	Elimination
18 Friends	Ent. Tonight	Yes, Dear	Still	Raymond	Two Men	CSI: Miami			News	
(41) Sports	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at New York Knicks			Postgame	Sports	Sports			Best-Sports	
(15) "Quiz Show" Cont'd		Movie: "Divine Secrets of the Ya-Ya Sisterhood"					Movie: "The Good Girl"			
(17) Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Brink!"					Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud
(18) "Behind Enemy Lines"		Movie: "Auto Focus"			On Set				Movie: "Murder by Numbers"	
(20) Wild World of Winter		N.E. Racing	Truck		ESPNNews		ESPNNews		ESPNNews	
(44) Intimate Portrait		1-800-Missing		1-800-Missing		1-800-Missing			Golden	Golden
(5) Seinfeld	Friends	Movie: "Pleasantville"					Movie: "Ghostbusters"			
(24) Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25) Dress-Kill		Movie: "Legal Eagles"				Project	Project		Movie: "Legal Eagles"	
(26) JAG		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		
(27) American Justice		Biography		Cold Case Files		City Confidential		Third Watch		
(12) Becker		Movie: "Rain Man"				News		Becker	Will-Grace	
(39) Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight		

TUESDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 18, 2003										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) King	70s Show	One	All of Us	Eve	Rock Me		News		Becker	Frasier
(32) 7th Heaven		Movie: "The Incredible Mr. Limpet"					Whose? Whose?		700 Club	
6 News	Seinfeld	Whoopi	Happy	Frasier	Good Mm		Law & Order		News	
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	8 Rules	Im With	Jim	Less Than		NYPD Blue		News	
10 News-Lehrer		Nova		American Experience					Charlie Rose	
(22) College Basketball: Louisiana at Ga. Tech				College Basketball: Davidson at Texas Tech					SportsCenter	
(34) Cheers	Cheers	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Joe Schmo		Joe Schmo			Elimination	Elimination
18 Friends	Ent. Tonight	Navy NCIS		Without a Trace		CSI: Miami			News	
(41) Sports	54321	Best Damn Sports Show Period				Sports	Sports		Best Damn Sports Show	
(15) Beautif M		Movie: "Born Rich"			Movie: "I Spy"				Matrix Rev.	Carnivale
(17) Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Gotta Kick It Up"					Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud
(18) Movie: "Sister Helen"			Movie: "Men In Black II"						Movie: "Private Parts"	
(20) Truck	Running	N.E. Racing	Wild World of Winter		ESPNNews	ESPNNews			ESPNNews	
(44) Nanny	Nanny	Nanny	Nanny		Movie: "Deadly Whispers"				Golden	Golden
(5) Seinfeld	Friends	Movie: "Field of Dreams"							Movie: "The Rookie"	
(24) Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25) "Cookie's Fortune"		Movie: "Coal Miner's Daughter"							Movie: "Missing"	
(26) JAG		Law & Order		Movie: "Next Friday"					Law & Order	
(27) American Justice		Biography		Cold Case Files					Third Watch	
(12) Becker	Home Imp.	Movie: "Universal Soldier"				News			Becker	Will-Grace
(39) Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight		

WEDNESDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 19, 2003										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	'70s Show	Star Trek: Enterprise	Jake 2.0			News		Becker	Frasier
(32)	7th Heaven	Movie: "Picture Perfect"					Whose?	Whose?	700 Club	
6	News	Seinfeld	Ed	West Wing			Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	My Wife	It's Relative	Bachelor					News
10	News-Lehrer		Coyote Waits: An American Mystery Special				JFK: Breaking the News		Charlie Rose	
(22)	College Basketball: Preseason NIT -- Teams TBA		NBA Basketball: Detroit Pistons at Memphis Grizzlies						SportsCtr.	
(34)	Cheers	Cheers	Star Trek: Next Gener.		Movie: "Cheech & Chong's Next Movie"			Elimination		Elimination
18	Friends	Ent. Tonight	60 Minutes II		King	Becker	Victoria's Secret Fashion	News		
(41)	NBA Basketball: New Orleans Hornets at Boston Celtics					Postgame	Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	While You Were Sleeping		Legendary	K Street	Carnivale		Inside the NFL		Harry Potter-Chamber	
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Double Teamed"				Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud
(18)	"New Best Friend"		Movie: "Crimson Tide"				Movie: "Auto Focus"			
(20)	Pregame	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Atlanta Thrashers					Overtime	Hockey	ESPNNews	
(44)	Nanny	Nanny	Nanny	Nanny	Movie: "Hell on Heels: The Battle of Mary Kay"			Golden	Golden	
(5)	Seinfeld	Friends	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Ripley's Believe It or Not!		Movie: "The Cable Guy"			
(24)	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House		Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"Atlantic City" Cont'd		Movie: "Hombre"				Movie: "Shenandoah"			
(26)	JAG	Law & Order			Movie: "The Foreigner"			Law & Order		
(27)	American Justice		Biography		American Justice		American Justice		Third Watch	
(12)	Becker	Home Imp.	Movie: "Young Guns"			News			Becker	Will-Grace
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

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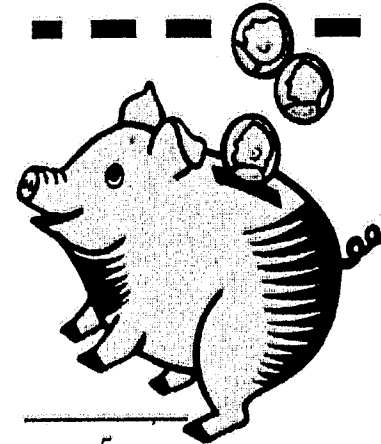
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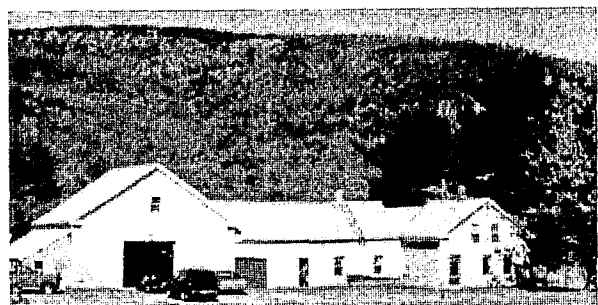
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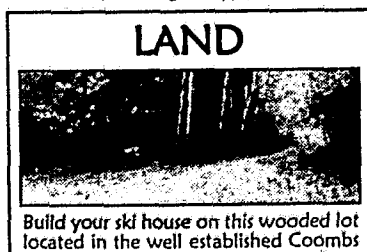
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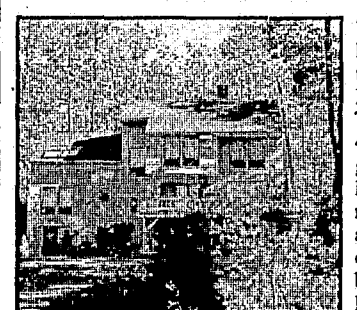
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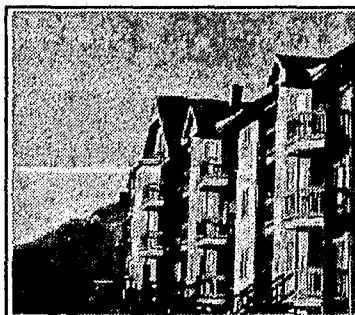
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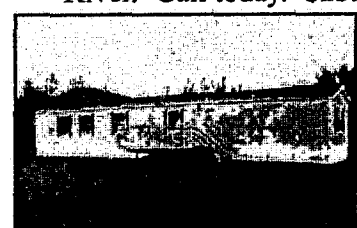
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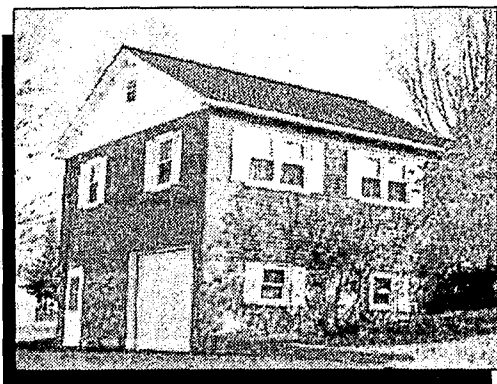
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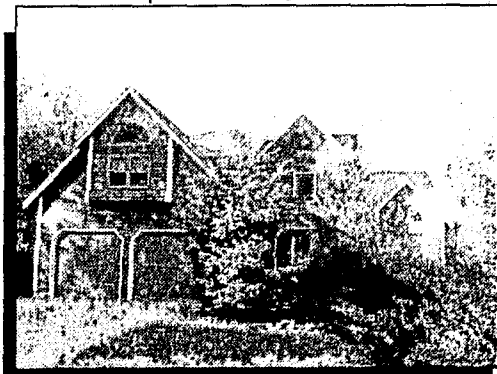
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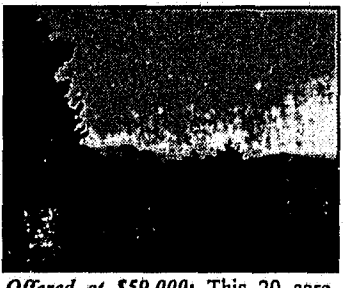
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Obituaries

BECKY JEAN CLOUGH

Becky Jean Clough, 51, passed peacefully into eternal life surrounded by her family on Nov. 6, 2003.

She was born on May 27, 1952, in Kittery, the eldest daughter of Lila (Thompson) Couturier and Richard Thompson. She later became the stepdaughter of Roger Couturier. She graduated from Lewiston High School in 1970 and later received her BSN from the University of Maine in Augusta.

She had been a warm and passionate hospice nurse for many years where she cared openly for her patients and their families. Many of these families have continued a relationship with her.

During the past four years she worked for Androscoggin Home Care and Hospice as a beloved hospice nurse and a quality assurance nurse. Prior to her hospice work, she worked at Central Maine Medical Center in the Neonatal Care Unit where her special gift of loving and caretaking played a huge role in little lives.

She enjoyed her children, Ian and Mikaela, and all of their activities especially Mikaela's dance and Ian's time on the soccer field. Family was very important to her, she always spent time-sharing and enjoying life with her children, her five siblings, and their spouses, and her stepdad. She also found a special way to be involved in each of her nieces and nephews' lives.

She was loved by many close friends, some of whom were neighbors, co-workers, childhood pals, fellow cancer survivors, and other people she developed a special connection with during her life's journey.

In her own time, she spent hours gardening which she loved and also could often be found crocheting, doing aerobics, making dried flower arrangements, sewing. She had a love for the Balloon Festival, the family Sebago Lake Camp, and the ocean, and her nieces and nephews' sporting events. As an extension of her work, she was very involved with the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life.

She is survived by her two children, Ian and Mikaela of Lewiston, and their father, Scott of Litchfield; her stepfather, Roger Couturier of Greene; her five siblings,

Deborah Small and her husband Rick of Windham, Diane Dunton of Windham, Jodie Dwyer and her husband Blair of Brunswick, Sally Davis and her husband John of Turner, and Michael J. Thompson and his significant other, Kara O'Donnell of South Gardiner; many nieces and nephews, Bret, Chad, and Alicia Cote, Sara and Jessica Saurman, Courtney, Kyle, and Colby Dwyer, Zachary, Kendra, and Tyler Vallee, and Angel and John Davis; her five step-sisters, Donna Dube, Denise Bonenfont, Diana Belanger, Deana, Julian, and Doreen Plourde, and their families. She was predeceased by her parents, Lila Couturier and Richard Thompson; and her brother-in-law, Robert Dunton.

Memorial services were held Monday, Nov. 10, at the First Universalist Church, corner of Spring and Elm streets, Auburn. Should friends desire, memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 1 Main Street, Suite 300, Topsham, ME 04086, or to Androscoggin Home Care and Hospice, 15 Strawberry Avenue, Lewiston, ME 04240 in Becky's memory.

MILDRED K. BENNETT

Mildred Kimball Bennett, 86, died Sunday, Nov. 9, 2003, at Fryeburg Health Care.

The daughter of Leslie and Maude Kimball, she was born June 12, 1917 in Albany. She was one of ten children.

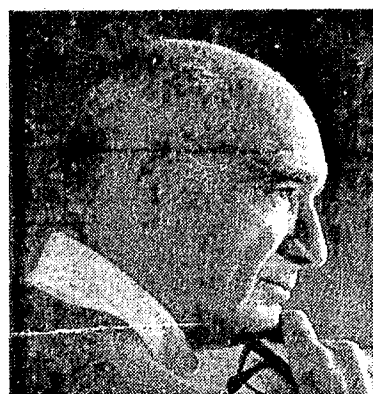
She was a student of Albany schools, Gould Academy and graduated from Fryeburg Academy in 1936.

She was married to Ralston Bennett for 58 years before his death in 1995. They lived in North Fryeburg until 1958 when they bought the Center Hill Lodge in Lovell. Together they operated the Lovell Village Garage and the Center Hill Lodge.

She is survived by her son, Norris and his wife Roberta Bennett of Lovell; and her daughter, Meredith and her husband Wayne Harmon of Winter Haven, Fla.; five sisters, Eva Baker, Helen Jewell, Merlie Stone, all of South Paris, Florence Graves of Naples and Eleanor Frechette of Oxford; six grandchildren, Steve Bennett, Lisa Libby, Rick Libby, Lori Stacey, Greg Harmon and Doug Harmon; eight great-grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; and

four step great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by four brothers, Ralph, Arthur, Clarence and Lawrence Kimball.

A funeral service was held Wednesday, Nov. 12, at the Bradley Memorial Methodist Church with Pastor Richard Male officiating. Donations may be made in memory of Mildred to the: Fryeburg Rescue, P.O. Box 177, Fryeburg, ME 04037.



ROMEO A. BAKER

Romeo A. Baker, 85, who lived a full life with a passion, died Tuesday on Veteran's Day, Nov. 11, 2003, peacefully at his home in Newry, with family by his side.

He was born in Gorham, N.H., May 11, 1918, a son of Camille and Florida (Provencher) Baker, and had served as a Major in the U. S. Air Force flying B-24's during World War II.

He was a funeral director for over 27 years in Plainfield, N.J., prior to moving to Newry, in 1969. He organized and was a charter member of the Bethel Rotary Club and served as its first president.

He loved the outdoors and was an avid hunter, fisherman, and skier where he served as a ski instructor at Sunday River. He was a superior woodworker and was a

noted local artist.

Survivors include his loving wife, Jo Baker of Newry; eight children, Margaret Guinan and husband Harry, Linda Meyer and husband David, Carol Reilly and husband Douglas, Randall Baker, Jane Derleth and husband Bob, Julie Keaveney and husband Frank, Nancy Martin and husband Steve, and Gary Stevens; nine grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; a brother, Pete Baker; three sisters, Dora Gardner, Margaret Buck, and Yvonne Nowlin.

Friends are invited to attend funeral services 2 p.m. Friday, Nov. 14, at the Meader & Son Funeral Home, 3 Franklin Street, Rumford, with the Rev. Merrill Bittner officiating. In lieu of flowers, please contribute to the Building Fund, c/o Stephens Memorial Hospital, 181 Main Street, Norway, ME 04268, in his memory.

DANA EUGENE JACKSON

Dana E. Jackson, age 79, of Intervale Road, Bethel, died Tuesday, Nov. 11, 2003 at the Maine Veterans' Home in South Paris.

He was born in South Paris on April 25, 1924, the son of Clarence and Leora McKay Jackson and attended local schools.

Dana worked as a truck driver for D.A. Wilson of Bethel for 32 years.

He served his country in the US Army during WWII and was a member of the Bethel Senior Citizens.

He is survived by his wife, Mildred (Olson) Jackson of Bethel; a son, Dennis of Bethel; three nephews and three nieces. He was predeceased by four sisters, Elva Lundberg, June Giard, Mary Wouri and Dawn Jackson.

At the request of the family, services will be private.

Births

David Buck and Starr Bonney of Greenwood are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Dawn Marie, born on Oct. 14, 2003 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 pounds, 4 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Brenda Marshall of West Paris and Raymond Bonney of Bryant Pond.

Paternal grandparents are Linda and Roy Buck Sr. of Bryant Pond.

Dawn joins sister Felicia Buck, age 6.

2003 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Vickie and Robert Cuff of East Andover.

Paternal grandparent is Dorothy Smith of Casselberry, Fla.

Timothy joins sisters Amber, 15, and Samantha, 11, and brothers Carl, 5, and Justin, 10.

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Engagements



Hart — Davis

The parents of Brenda M. Hart and Kevin M. Davis are pleased to announce their engagement.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Maurice and Yvonne (Leonard) Hart of Bethel. She is a 1991 graduate of Telstar Regional High School and a 2001 graduate of the University of Maine at Augusta with an associate's degree in photography. She is currently employed by Mahoosuc Kids before and after school childcare at Crescent Park School.

The future groom is the son of Janice (Bradbury) Davis and the late Sheldon Davis of South Paris. He is a 1990 graduate of Oxford Hills High School and a 1994 graduate of Northeast Career School in Manchester, N.H. He is currently employed by Dead River Company in South Paris.

A May 2004 wedding is planned.



Stinson — Overby

Kimberly and Alan Stinson of Conyers, Ga., formerly of Andover, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miranda Jo, to Louis Jay Overby Jr., son of Louis and Kathy Overby also of Conyers, Ga.

The bride-elect is a 2002 graduate of Salem High School and is a Dental Hygiene major at Clayton College and State University. She is the granddaughter of Arthur and Olive Whitten of Roxbury and Marjorie Stinson and the late Ralph Stinson of East Andover.

The future groom is a 2000 graduate of Salem High School and a 2002 graduate of Dekalb Technical College with an associate degree in Applied Technology. He is employed as an automotive technician at Conyers Honda. He is the grandson of Robert and Faye Stodghill of Jackson, Ga., and of the late TJ and Virginia Overby of Conyers.

No wedding date has been set.

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PUBLIC HEARING
Pursuant to Title 28 MRSA 252 - a notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on November 17, 2003 at the Bethel Town Office to consider a Liquor License renewal from Rebel Recreation Inc. located on West Bethel Rd. Public comment will be heard at that time. Prior to the hearing date written comment may be issued to the Bethel Town Office.
Christen Mason
Town Clerk

Town of Greenwood PUBLIC HEARING
The Board of Selectmen will hold a public hearing on December 2, 2003 at 6:00 p.m. at the Municipal Building, Bird Hill Road, Greenwood, ME to act on the application for an Automobile/Junkyard Permit as filed by Thomas Warden of Greenwood, ME 04255. Public input is invited.
Carol Whitman, Town Manager

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